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SMC big sisters a big help to new students

By PEGGY LENCZEWSKI
News Writer

The Big Sister/Little Sister Program is offered to incoming freshmen at Saint Mary's College to help new students deal with the transition between high school and college life.

The program was begun several years ago by members of the student body with the intent of offering new students at Saint Mary's a source of support during the first few weeks of school, according to student coordinator Aimee Heimann.

During their meetings with their orientation groups, freshmen were given the opportunity to sign up to receive an upperclassman as a big sister.

The upperclassmen then provide the freshmen with another familiar face on campus, an avenue for meeting new people through their big sister, and, in the best possible situation, a new friend.

Sophomores Hiemann and Kathleen Michaels volunteered to direct the program this year for the new freshmen; they hoped to improve upon last

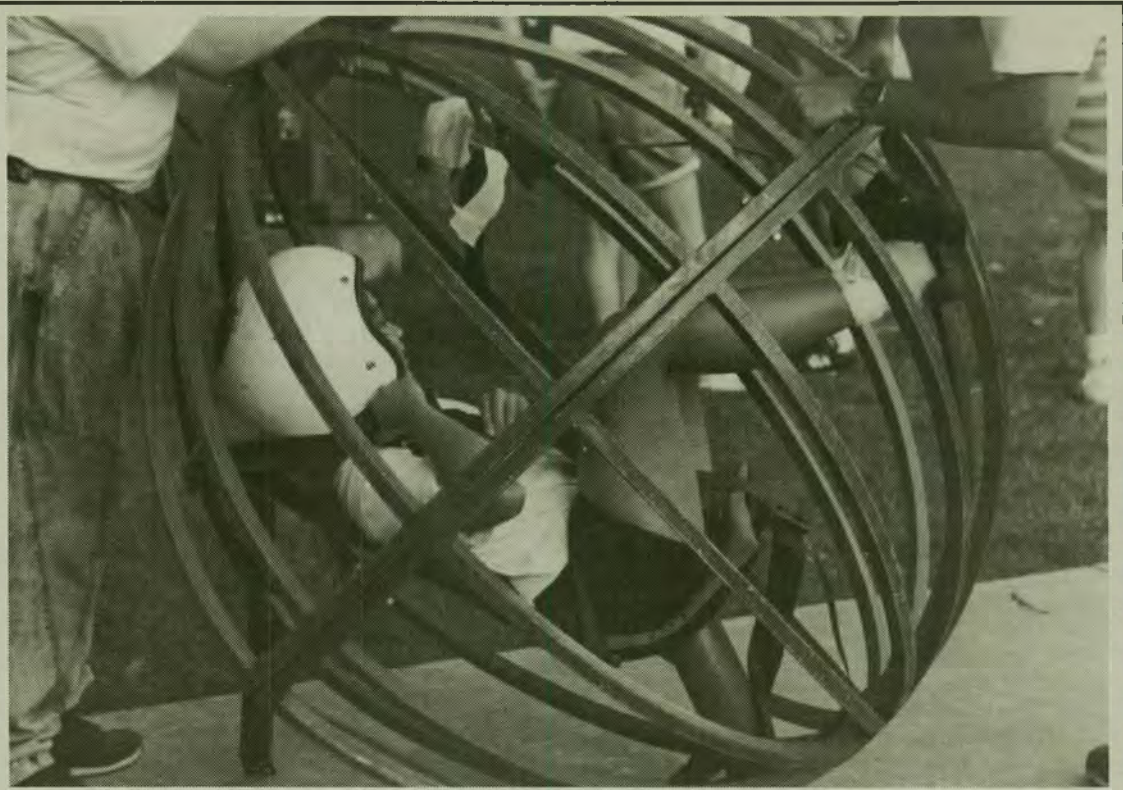
year's program, so that freshmen would have a more positive experience.

They were disappointed, however, with the turnout of the upperclassmen, according to Michaels. As a result, many freshmen who signed up for the program were not contacted by an upperclassman.

Currently, the interaction between the upperclassmen and the freshmen is strictly interpersonal: there are no group activities planned, and it is the responsibility of the upperclassmen to contact the new students.

Ultimately, Hiemann and Michaels hope to expand the program so that every new student will automatically be provided with a Big Sister. Heimann hopes to plan group activities that will enable the freshmen to meet other students who are in different classes. These plans are dependent on an increase in the response from the upper class-

men. Organizational meetings will begin in February to increase student interest in the program.



The Observer/ Cynthia Exconde

Having a ball

Saint Mary's freshman Sherstin Truitt takes shape as a human bowling ball at the Saint Mary's Twilight Tailgate. The Tailgate also featured a Velcro Wall and tie-dyeing.

Clinton gives thanks to initial volunteers

By RON FOURNIER
Associated Press

ABERDEEN, Md. President Clinton, worshipping in a military chapel here Sunday, thanked the first recruits to his national service program for fulfilling "our God-given responsibility to serve our fellow human beings."

The president and first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton attended services at the Aberdeen Proving Ground, a weapons facility in central Maryland. The visit was designed to promote the president's AmeriCorps initiative, a sweeping collection of old and new community service programs offering college education to its workers.

The program formally commences Monday when Clinton plans to swear in nearly 15,000 AmeriCorps recruits, capping his 2-year-old campaign for the service.

Clinton spoke from the pulpit to a congregation of about 300.

"This is a special service that reaffirms our relationship to our God and our God-given responsibility to serve our fellow human beings," he said.

With health care reform in jeopardy and his popularity dropping, the president returned from his summer vacation hammering on the all-American themes of family values, personal responsibility and public service.

"Service to others is something everyone can do, and

something everyone should do because of our relationship to our God, our responsibility to others, and our responsibility to ourselves," he said Sunday.

The national service program, which fulfills a cornerstone pledge of Clinton's presidential campaign, is a \$360 million effort to put 20,000 mostly young Americans to work in four areas: education, health and human needs, the environment and public safety.

The workers will receive minimum-wage pay, free health care and a \$4,725 educational voucher for one year of work. The \$4,725 can be used for college, vocational education or to pay off college loans. They can work up to two years.

If Congress extends the program, the White House hopes to spend a \$1.5 billion over three years to pay for 100,000 workers.

Attending church with Clinton were about 30 members of the National Civilian Community Corp., a branch of AmeriCorps that trained people from along the East Coast at the Aberdeen base to fight forest fires in the West.

Clinton shook their hands on the way out of church.

"Your country has given you the opportunity to serve," he said during the service. "You have assumed the responsibility, and our American family is much stronger, and better, and richer as a result."

By BUCKY GLEASON
Associated Press

ALIQUIPPA, Pa. The possibility that a jet engine thrust reverser or a malfunctioning rudder caused the deadly crash of USAir Flight 427 is merely speculation, investigators cautioned Sunday.

National Transportation Safety Board member Carl Vogt urged people not to read too much into the discovery that one of six devices that activate thrust reversers on the right engine of the doomed Boeing 737 was found in a deployed position.

"In the event of an inadvertent deployment of the thrust reversers you would expect to see some reaction in the engine, and we don't see that," Vogt said.

"How much were they deployed, if at all, and what effect it will have, we'd have to look into much more," he said. "But that's really speculative at this point."

Thrust reversers are used to slow a plane after it lands and can only be deployed by the

pilot.

A cautionary note also was sounded by John Nance, an air safety analyst in Seattle and 20-year commercial airline pilot.

"Anyone in the industry or out of the industry ... who jumps to a conclusion or even a preliminary conclusion based on early evidence is going to be embarrassed later," Nance said. "I've been there."

Nance said the possibility of a problem with the right engine's thrust reverser didn't make sense, because witnesses said the plane dipped left while a problem with the right thrust reverser would cause the plane to dip right.

The jet crashed Thursday night six miles from Pittsburgh International Airport as it was preparing to land. The plane plunged 6,000 feet in 23 seconds, hit the ground at more than 300 mph and killed all 132 people aboard.

Boeing spokesman Steve Thieme said no problems ever have been reported with thrust reversers on Boeing 737s.

"It's still too early to say what's happened here," he

said. "We'll assist the NTSB in any way we can to help determine the cause of this crash."

Thrust-reverser systems on Boeing 737s, 747s, 757s and 767s have been a concern since the May 1991 crash of a 767 in Thailand that killed 223 people. The plane, operated by Lauda Air of Austria, went out of control after its left-side thrust reverser activated.

A two-year investigation failed to determine why that engine reversed. Boeing began installing new locks on engines for 757s and 767s in 1992 on a recommendation from the Federal Aviation Administration.

Pilots had various theories about why the USAir jet crashed, but agreed that no pilot could avoid a crash if a reverser deployed in flight.

"The thrust reverser could flip the plane over in a heartbeat," said a veteran pilot from American Airlines who spoke on the condition of anonymity. "At that point, you're not even dealing with an airplane. You're dealing with something falling out of the sky."

Hesburgh to receive award

Father Theodore Hesburgh, president emeritus of the University of Notre Dame, will be honored Monday as one of six recipients of the 1994 Elizabeth Ann Seton Award from the National Catholic Education Association. The awards will be presented at the NCEA Seton Awards Gala at the Andrew W. Mellon Auditorium in Washington, D.C.

Established in 1991, the Seton Award recognizes "organizations and individuals who have made a significant contribution to education in America

and to Catholic schools in particular." The award is named in honor of the first American-born saint and founder of the U.S. Catholic school network in the early 1800s.

Other 1994 Seton Award recipients include Cardinal Bernard Law, archbishop of Boston; Peggy Cooper Cafritz, founder of the Duke Ellington School of the Arts; Barbara Koch, a fund-raiser for Catholic school.

Fr. Hesburgh retired as president of Notre Dame on June 1, 1987, ending the

longest tenure among active presidents of American colleges and universities. After a yearlong sabbatical, he wrote his autobiography, "God, Country, Notre Dame," which became a national best seller.

Now 77, he continues to serve the University as well as national and international organizations. He currently is president of Harvard University's Board of Overseers, the first Catholic priest ever to direct the principal governing body of America's oldest institution of higher learning.

■ Inside Column

It's not always in the genes

We were raised by the same parents. We went to the same schools. We had the same teachers, the same rules at home. We shared the same toys and watched the same TV shows. We are both voracious readers and avid writers. We like the same music and the same clothing. We share the same views on controversial issues and often finish each other's sentences. We've led fairly similar lives; it's impossible not to when you're reared in the same family as brother and sister.

By Krista Nannery
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People don't believe that he's my brother. Teachers that I had in high school have approached me and asked how it's possible. I've asked myself the same question. While I managed to graduate in the top of my senior class, my brother was lucky if he passed ceramics. While I had a relatively clean conduct record, my brother was on a first name basis with the dean of discipline. While I consider myself to be relatively mild mannered, I pity the person who is on the receiving end of my brother's temper.

I am 20 years old and a junior at Notre Dame. My brother is almost 18 and a high school drop out. I worry about the future and finding a job and supporting myself and making ends meet. My brother works 20 hours a week as a tow truck dispatcher and uses his spare time to master Sega's latest offering. If I'm not going to be coming home some night, I call my parents and let them know. My brother has disappeared for days on end without a word. I've never been arrested. He's come pretty darn close on more than one occasion. I love my brother, but sometimes it's very difficult.

How did this happen? How did two relatively normal people produce two children with totally different value systems and priorities? Is anyone at fault or is this something that just happened? Is there anything wrong with being a high school drop out? Will he ever go back? I have no answers.

School was never the place for my brother. This isn't something recent; it's been going on for 17 years. Even getting him onto the bus in grammar school was an ordeal. Give him a biology textbook and he's lost; but put him in front of a computer and he can do anything. Ask him to write a poem for homework and he can't (or won't) do it. But give him an empty notebook and a pen on a day when he has nothing else to do, and he'll write you something that you are guaranteed to be impressed with.

In some ways, I envy his attitude. He's very calm and very relaxed about everything. My parents and I are more concerned with his education than he is. He's not exactly happy with the situation as it stands, but he really has no desire to change it.

I don't know what will happen next or if there is even a solution. He doesn't want a real job; he just works enough to pay for car insurance. He really doesn't want to go back to school, although I hope that he will get his GED. I've tried to seduce him with stories of college life, but he has no desire to further educate himself. I can only hope that his feelings will change in the next few years. In the meanwhile, I try to be as supportive and encouraging as possible; anything less would harm an already fragile relationship.

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■ World at a Glance

With \$335 million, Spielberg is highest-paid entertainer in 1993-94

NEW YORK Steven Spielberg, whose dino-thriller "Jurassic Park" grossed more than \$900 million at the box office, has bumped Oprah Winfrey as the highest-paid entertainer, Forbes reported Sunday.

The 46-year-old director-producer, who cleared \$100 from his first feature film, made when he was 16, will make an estimated 1993-94 total of \$335 million, the magazine said in its Sept. 26 issue.

That's a record for the eight years Forbes has been compiling the list of the top 40 best-paid entertainers. The previous record of \$200 million was set by Michael Jackson in 1988-89.

Television talk-show hostess Winfrey, who became the first woman to head the Forbes Top 40 Entertainers list last year, came in as No. 2 this year with a combined estimated 1993-94 take of \$105 million.

Forbes says basing its ranking on combined two-year estimated gross earnings provides a more accurate assessment of an entertainer's overall income, which can change capriciously from year to year.

Winfrey was followed by another Jurassic-era phenom, Barney, the purple, roly-poly, oversized dinosaur who delights 3-year-olds and irks some adults with his syrupy public television show. When 1993-94 sales from toys,

cassettes, lunchboxes, underpants and other merchandise are calculated, Barney will amass \$84 million for creator Sheryl Leach and her father-in-law publisher, Richard Leach.

Top Ten Best-Paid Entertainers

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	in millions
#1 Steven Spielberg	\$335
#2 Oprah Winfrey	\$105
#3 Sheryl Leach (creator of Barney)	\$84
#4 Pink Floyd	\$62
#5 Bill Cosby	\$60
#6 Barbara Streisand	\$57
#7 The Eagles	\$56
#8 David Copperfield	\$55
#9 The Rolling Stones	\$53
#10 Harrison Ford	\$44

"In Hollywood it's the year of the dinosaur," Forbes said in its cover story.

It said Spielberg's take from "Jurassic Park" alone will total about \$250 million after the video is released in October, by far the most any individual has ever made from a movie.

The dinosaur isn't the only aged theme in this year's ranking, which also is populated by a number of pop-music relics who went back on tour to enthusiastic crowds and made the list for the first time.

Pink Floyd came in as No. 4, with a combined 1993-94 take of \$62 million. Barbra Streisand, who lured fans willing to pay \$1,000 apiece for her first public singing appearances in nearly three decades, was No. 6, at \$57 million.

After a bitter 14-year split, the Eagles reunited with a tour and album that won them the No. 7 spot at \$56 million. The Rolling Stones, led by middle-aged rockers Mick Jagger and Keith Richards promoting their new album, grabbed the No. 9 spot at \$53 million.

Fire closes New York City's Penn Station

NEW YORK A smoky train fire closed Penn Station for nearly three hours Sunday, shutting down passenger service on Amtrak and two large suburban commuter lines and forcing the evacuation of hundreds of people. Nine people suffered minor injuries. The shutdown affected thousands of Amtrak passengers in the busy Northeast Corridor between Washington and Boston, as well as an Amtrak line that runs into upstate New York, said Amtrak spokesman Michael Stewart. About 20 trains were delayed and several were canceled. Hundreds of travelers filled sidewalks across the street from the mid-Manhattan station beneath Madison Square Garden as smoke billowed out of vents and entrances.

Stage-screen actress Jessica Tandy dies

NEW YORK Jessica Tandy, who won an Academy Award at age 80 for her portrayal of a spirited Southern matriarch in "Driving Miss Daisy," died Sunday after a four-year battle with ovarian cancer. She was 85. Her husband, actor Hume Cronyn, was by her side when she died about 6 a.m. at their home in Easton, Conn., said Leslee Dart, the couple's press agent. Tandy's acting career spanned more than 60 years, mostly on stage in New York and London. She was Broadway's original Blanche DuBois in the 1947 production of Tennessee Williams' "A Streetcar Named Desire" that co-starred Marlon Brando as Stanley Kowalski.



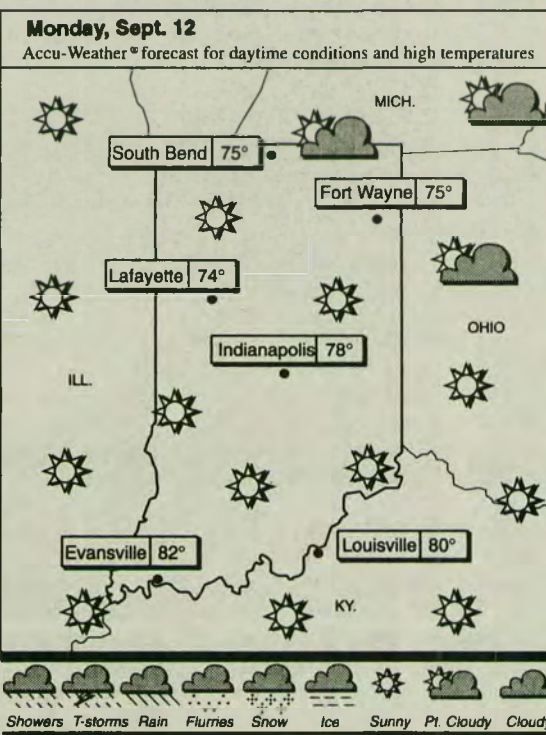
Astronauts fire jets at longest boom ever

CAPE CANAVERAL Discovery's astronauts fired their steering jets Sunday at the longest boom ever extended from a space shuttle, an eight-story-tall arm used to measure damage from engine exhaust. "It's an awesome sight," astronaut Susan Helms said of the 82-foot boom suspended over the shuttle cargo bay. Instruments at the end of the boom measured the pressure and heat of the jet exhaust as well as contaminants, any of which could ruin solar panels, radiators and other large structures on a space station. The first shuttle-station docking is scheduled for next May, when Atlantis flies to Russia's Mir. Shuttles also would have to dock frequently with an international space station that's supposed to be built in orbit beginning in 1997.

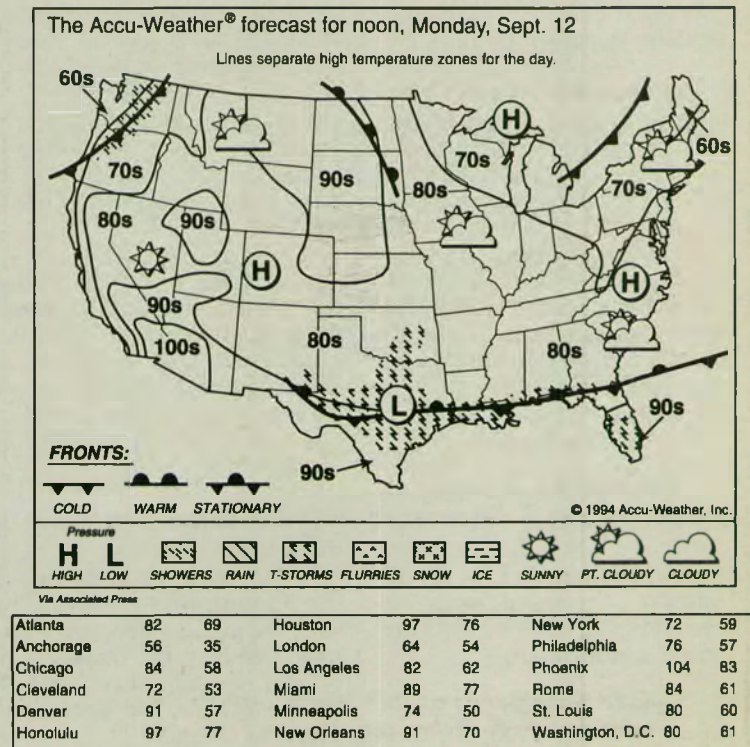
Rep. Gonzalez receives JFK courage award

BOSTON Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez, who led investigations into the faltering savings and loan industry and U.S. aid to Iraq, received the Profile in Courage Award on Sunday at the John F. Kennedy Library. "He and I came from different worlds, but we traveled a common path, we shared the same goals," said Gonzalez, the Texas Democrat who entered Congress the same year Kennedy became president. "For me to receive any recognition in his name is a greater honor than I could have ever dreamed." The president's children, John F. Kennedy Jr. and Caroline Kennedy Schlossberg, presented the silver lantern award, which honors people who have shown political courage. The annual ceremony was postponed from May 23 — the day former first lady Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis was buried.

■ Indiana Weather



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Man goes to trial for slaying of three people

Associated Press

DAYTON, Ohio

A Cincinnati native is scheduled to go to trial Monday in the deaths of a Willshire mother and her two teen-aged daughters who were found in Florida's Tampa Bay with cinder blocks tied around their ankles.

A four-week trial is expected for Oba Chandler, 47, in Clearwater, Fla. He faces three counts of first-degree murder in the deaths of Joan Rogers and her daughters, Michelle, 17, and Christie, 14. The family was from Van Wert County in northwest Ohio.

Chandler has pleaded innocent. If convicted, he could be sentenced to death.

Prosecutors believe Chandler lured the family onto his boat for sightseeing, then raped the girls, tied and gagged all three, weighted them with cinder blocks and threw them overboard. Their bodies were discovered three days later, on June 4, 1989.

The defense plans to offer alternate theories about who killed the three. One possible defense witness says a relative arranged the slayings from his jail cell because Mrs. Rogers

knew too much about a drug and pornography ring, the Dayton Daily News reported Sunday.

The state will have to prove its case without the benefit of eyewitnesses.

Instead, it plans to use evidence that includes a sample of Chandler's handwriting found at the family's motel, incriminating statements he allegedly made to family members and cellmates, and records of maritime phone calls he made to his wife from his boat the night the women vanished, the newspaper said.

Prosecutors won a victory last month when Circuit Judge Susan F. Schaeffer ruled they could use evidence of an alleged rape that occurred near Madeira Beach, Fla., two weeks before the slayings.

The victim, a Canadian tourist, said Chandler lured her onto a blue boat with a white interior, where she was raped. He also threatened to gag her with duct tape, she said.

Duct tape was used to gag the Rogers women, and Chandler owned a blue-and-white Bayliner in 1989.

Chandler was charged with rape, but the case has not come to trial.



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Summer's last hurrah

Saint Mary's junior Daniella Peting paired up with sophomore Gretchen Moore for a canoe race on Lake Marion last Friday. The races were a part of the Twilight Tailgate, sponsored by the Saint Mary's Student Activities Board. Lake Marion is on the Saint Mary's campus in front of the Haggar College Center.

Crimea parliament dissolved

By GENNADY POTAPENKO
Associated Press

SIMFEROPOL, Ukraine

The president of the separatist Crimea peninsula dissolved parliament Sunday and imposed emergency rule, describing lawmakers as corrupt and "unworthy of the people."

In a speech broadcast on regional television and radio, Yuri Meshkov said he was scheduling a referendum for April 9 to resolve the constitutional deadlock between parliament and the president. He said he was assuming "full power" until then.

Lawmakers, locked out of parliament, held an emergency session in the nearby general prosecutor's office. They denounced Meshkov's decree as unconstitutional and said they would keep working.

Parliament had stripped Meshkov of many of his powers

on Wednesday in an ongoing dispute over which government branch has greater power.

The specter of two rival bodies claiming ultimate authority renewed fears of the outbreak of violence in the volatile Black Sea province. It was unclear if Meshkov had sufficient support to enforce his decree.

Ukraine President Leonid Kuchma refused to publicly take sides, urging both parties to find a "civilized solution."

In May, Meshkov and the lawmakers jointly took Crimea to the brink of civil war by adopting a constitution that Ukrainian authorities viewed as tantamount to a declaration of independence.

But the independence drive has been stymied by strong warnings of intervention by the Ukraine government, and feuds among political factions in Crimea have caused several political killings and the cur-

rent constitutional crisis.

"The president violated the republic's constitution," parliament speaker Sergei Tsekov said in remarks reported by the ITAR-Tass news agency, after Meshkov sealed the main entrance to parliament. "We are now taking measures to do away with this error in a normal way."

Tsekov later went into a meeting with Meshkov.

Lawmaker Leonid Grach, standing on the steps of parliament, called Meshkov's action a "stupid move." As he spoke, elderly Meshkov supporters taunted him with chants of "criminal" — echoing Meshkov's charge that lawmakers are engaged in widespread corruption.

"All this will do is weaken the already fragile political situation in Crimea," Grach told The Associated Press.

Meshkov, elected president

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More questions raised about the S & L bailout

By DAVE SKIDMORE
Associated Press

WASHINGTON

Just as the savings and loan industry is enjoying its most robust health in years, its lobbyists have begun quietly campaigning for one more multibillion-dollar installment of taxpayer aid.

The Resolution Trust Corp., the agency created in 1989 to clean up the nation's worst financial mess since the Depression, is scheduled to finish its work by the end of next year. It will have spent \$92 billion.

The good news, according to the congressional General Accounting Office, is that's \$13 billion less than the \$105 billion it was given. Long-suffering taxpayers ought to be breathing easier.

But, according to Rep. Jim Leach, R-Iowa, the bad news is that S&Ls want a sizable portion the leftover money even though only one has failed so far this year and the industry has earned \$2 billion in profits during the first half of 1994.

After the RTC is history, a new Savings Association Insurance Fund, financed by S&L-paid premiums and managed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., will be responsible for paying for failures.

At midyear, it had \$1.7 billion, but that's only about one-fifth of what it ought to have by law.

Paul A. Schosberg, president of the Savings & Community Bankers of America, argues the industry cannot afford the high insurance premiums needed to bring the fund to full strength by 2004, especially since commercial banks soon will see a drastic cut in their insurance premiums.

Both banks and S&Ls currently pay about 24 cents for every \$100 in deposits.

The S&L fund is struggling largely because 11 cents of each 24 cents — \$770 million a year — is being diverted from its premiums to retire 30-year government bonds sold to finance S&L cleanups in 1987 and 1988, before the RTC was created.

In contrast, banks have nearly finished recapitalizing the FDIC's Bank Insurance Fund. In the red only 2 1/2 years ago, it climbed to \$17.5 billion by the end of June, or 92 percent of full strength. Bankers are

looking forward to a reduction in their premiums, perhaps by mid-1995, to as little as 5 cents per \$100 in deposits.

When that happens, Schosberg warned, the now-stable S&L industry will start to deteriorate. It no longer will be able offer loans and deposit services on a competitive basis.

As a cure, his trade group is recommending a merger of the bank and S&L funds but with enough taxpayer money from the RTC — \$5 billion or \$6 billion — to offset most of the disadvantage to banks. It is in taxpayers' interest to make the contribution, Schosberg argued.

"Why in the world would you want to run the risk of creating a new wave of problem institutions, and why would you want to run the risk of having people lose confidence again in deposit insurance?" he asked.

"It probably will be money well spent," agreed L. William Seidman, a former FDIC chairman. "The government picking up the cost is the least-worst solution."

But Leach, the senior GOP member of the House Banking Committee, and other lawmakers insist that taxpayers have done enough in restoring the S&L business to solvency and shouldn't be required to put it on an equal footing with banks.

Cloud hangs over anniversary

By PETER J. SPIELMANN
Associated Press

SEOUL, South Korea — North Korea observed in low-key fashion its first anniversary without "Great Leader" Kim Il Sung today. Curiously absent was his son, the heir-apparent to power.

Today was the third major occasion on which Kim Jong Il shunned the public.

Kim, known as "Dear Leader," failed to attend the two-month memorial services for his father on Thursday, attended by senior party and military officials. And he was a no-show at the one-month observances.

His absence and the fact that he has not officially assumed his father's titles as president and general-secretary of the ruling communist Korean Worker's Party have fueled rumors that he is seriously ill or engaged in a power struggle with the party or army leadership.

The 46th anniversary of North Korea's founding was marked without mass celebrations or rallies in Pyongyang, according to North Korean media monitored in Seoul. Some banners and posters portrayed the younger Kim.

At a small gathering of party loyalists, Vice Premier Hong Song Nam tried to rally support

for the absent Kim, the North's media reported.

"The (North Korean) republic will continue to march in prosperity if we have Dear Leader Kim Jong Il at the forefront," Hong was quoted as saying.

State-controlled media had repeatedly broadcast displays of wild, unrestrained public grief between Kim's death from a heart attack at age 82 on July 8 and his funeral July 20.

Many North Koreans still visit the 100-foot polished bronze statue of the Great Leader on Mansu Hill in Pyongyang. Wreaths and bouquets are left at the site.

Kim, his father's eldest son and designated successor, has not been seen in public since the funeral, when he looked ill, distracted, and seemed to have lost weight.

Marxist-Leninist theory does not permit dynastic transfer of power in a communist state, and there is resentment in some circles in the North of the

younger Kim's inheritance of power.

"Obviously it is a very narrowly based family regime. There must be considerable dissatisfaction within North Korea," said Charles Morrison, a North Korea watcher at the East-West Center in Honolulu.

North Korean officials say Kim is awaiting the end of a 100-day mourning period, due to end Oct. 16. But total seclusion is not a traditional Korean mourning practice, leading to speculation that he is trying to consolidate his power.

There does not seem to be any other candidate for leadership. The elder Kim publicly groomed his son to take over for more than 20 years.

The personality cult around Kim Il Sung has evolved into a virtual religion, and when he died, supernatural signs were reported, purporting to show that even the heavens and earth mourn the Great Leader's loss.

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Crime down in barricaded neighborhoods Japanese elections draw near

By JAMES HANNAH
Associated Press

DAYTON, Ohio — To the casual observer, the Five Oaks neighborhood a couple miles from downtown Dayton presents a typical Midwestern scene. Children skip down tree-lined sidewalks, past stately homes and manicured lawns.

A closer look reveals steel gates held by brick posts blocking traffic along streets and alleys throughout the area.

Residents of Five Oaks have put themselves behind barricades to keep crime on the outside looking in — and there is every indication it's working.

Reeling from burglaries, drug dealing and prostitution, the neighborhood installed the gates in 1992 to discourage drive-through traffic as part of an anti-crime strategy. By the end of 1993, reported crimes had dropped 26 percent.

"In a way, it's sad that it's come to this," said Ann Szabo, a neighborhood activist who pushed for the street barriers.

Szabo, a mother of six who grew up in Five Oaks, said the problems began about 10 years

ago when residents became more transient. Traffic and burglaries increased, used condos littered alleys, prostitutes moved in and random gunshots were fired at an apartment.

Enter Oscar Newman, an architect and urban planner who champions barricades to give neighborhoods "defensible space." Newman is director of the Institute for Community Design Analysis of Great Neck, N.Y., a research organization for government agencies and housing authorities.

Newman had erected barriers in neighborhoods in St. Louis, Miami and Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. Ten other neighborhoods in Baltimore; Boston; Chicago; Denver; Fort Worth, Texas; Gary, Ind.; Hartford, Conn.; Oakland, Calif.; Seattle; and Wilmington, Del. are thinking of following suit.

Dealers "seek out communities that show evidence of decline. This is a very simple, inexpensive way of giving people control of areas around their environment," Newman said.

His gates create cul-de-sacs and mini-neighborhoods. Residents know who strangers

are, get to know each other and can better police their streets.

Newman was invited to make his pitch to Dayton in 1991, and the city put up \$693,000.

By July 1992, more than 50 gates were erected, closing the streets and alleys to all but pedestrians. Only a few streets were left open to traffic.

Police closed several drug houses, the city set up a fund to help residents spruce up their homes, and police assigned an officer to patrol Five Oaks.

By the end of 1993, violent crime had been cut in half, according to a city study. Drive-through traffic plummeted by 67 percent. Home sales increased by 29 percent, and the average sale price jumped from \$45,000 to \$52,000.

Despite the promising statistics, not everyone is happy.

Jaqueline Teepen, who has lived in Five Oaks for three years, said the gates have closed more than the streets.

"It puts black folks on one side of the fence and white folks on the other," said Teepen, who is black. "We used to see black folks. We don't see them now."

Supporters of the barricades say Five Oaks and surrounding neighborhoods are racially diverse. Five Oaks once was 97 percent white, but the 1990 census showed its population of 4,931 was 43 percent black.

Teepen also thinks the barriers are inconvenient. She said one neighbor must drive 14 blocks to move his car from the front of his house to his garage behind his house. Break-ins have continued and the gates delayed a fire truck so long last winter, she said, that a house burned to the ground.

That story is denied by Ray Reynolds, the city urban development director, who could find no record of the fire.

Newman acknowledged the gates are inconvenient but he believes benefits outweigh drawbacks.

"The reality is we would never be able to do this if people weren't scared out of their minds," he said.

Witold Rybczynski, professor of urbanism at the University of Pennsylvania, said the gates reflect a breakdown of civil society and the feeling by some people that their neighborhoods can no longer be open.

By PETER LANDERS
Associated Press

TOKYO

Japan's ruling coalition failed a test of strength Sunday as an alliance of opposition parties triumphed over the government candidate in a closely watched parliamentary election.

The vote, in central Aichi prefecture, was considered a test case of the emerging political setup in Japan featuring two large, competing blocs instead of several smaller parties.

The result cast doubt on Socialist Prime Minister Tomiichi Murayama's ability to build a stable, long-term government. He came to power in June after forming an unusual alliance with the conservative Liberal Democrats, formerly archrivals.

Officials said opposition candidate Yuzuru Tsuzuki, a Labor Ministry section chief, had 931,936 votes, or 43 percent of the total, to 544,637, or 25 percent, for Jiro Mizuno for the upper house seat for Aichi, which includes the industrial center of Nagoya.

Tsuzuki will succeed the 1992 winner, Shoji Shimma, who was stripped of his seat after being found guilty of lying about his educational record in campaign literature.

This was the first election since the Socialist-Liberal Democratic alliance forced a reformist coalition from power in June. The Liberal Democratic Party ruled Japan from 1955 until last year, when voter anger about rampant corruption brought down the government.

Reflecting the importance of the vote, each side sent its biggest names to campaign. Murayama stumped for the government's candidate and former Prime Ministers Tsutomu Hata and Toshiki Kaifu rallied for the opposition.

The election came as Japan was moving from a multiparty system toward a competition between two large political groups — one centered around the Liberal Democrats and the other a union of self-proclaimed reformers. Opposition parties said last week they plan to form one party.

Commentators have predicted the shaky socialist-conservative alliance would not last long, but Murayama insists that he aims to solidify the coalition into a unified government. Observers said Sunday's election did not bode well for his ambitions.

"This shows that the LPD-socialist coalition government has not gained the understanding of the people," said Minoru Morita, a political commentator. "Internationally, it will be viewed that this is not a true long-term government."

Though policy issues did not figure prominently in the campaign, the results did not support Murayama's cautious approach to economic reforms. The opposition is urging less protection for inefficient industries and more attention to urban consumers.

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Israel welcomes Assad speech as sign of peace

By HEATHER SMITH
Associated Press

GAMLA, Golan Heights Israel on Sunday welcomed a conciliatory speech by Syria's president as a declaration of peace, the latest statement to suggest a possible breakthrough in talks over the Golan Heights.

President Hafez Assad, long Israel's bitterest foe, told his Parliament on Saturday that Syria understands peace requires certain commitments and that the country would meet them.

"Despite the difficulties and the continuing state of no progress, there is some hope that peace would become a reality," Assad said.

Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres hailed Assad's speech as a "declaration of peace." He contrasted it with the rhetoric of war the two countries have exchanged over the past 46 years.

Assad's speech contains "more than hints, that he un-

derstands that peace is really peace," Peres said. "If the solution is not yet clear, the air is becoming clearer and I welcome it in a very serious tone."

Peres also confirmed that the United States was trying to arrange a meeting between himself and Syria's Foreign Minister Farouk Sharaa.

The comments by Assad and Peres were the latest of a series of conciliatory exchanges in the past week, indicating movement in U.S.-brokered talks which had been stalemated over the Golan Heights for months.

Israel seized the plateau in the 1967 Middle East war and later annexed it. Syria has demanded that Israel withdraw from all of Golan in return for peace.

Talk of a breakthrough intensified last week when Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin said Israel has offered a marginal withdrawal be followed by a three-year test period, after which a significant pull-back was possible.

U.S. urged to freeze assets

By GENE KRAMER
Associated Press

WASHINGTON

The United States should impose tougher sanctions against Nigeria's military junta or civil war could erupt in Africa's most populous country, Nigerian community leaders say.

"When it explodes, the Nigerian conflict will be of such magnitude that the world will permanently be numbed," said Chief Ralph Obioha, a founder of his country's National Democratic Coalition. "It is incumbent on the Western World to call the junta to their senses."

Turmoil in Nigeria, a country of 90 million, will make the Rwanda situation seem like child's play, others said. They addressed a forum Saturday sponsored by the Nigerian Democratic Awareness Committee.

The dissident group supports the claim to Nigeria's presidency of Moshood K.O. Abiola, apparent winner of the June 1993 election, before the previous military regime nullified the results.

Arrested after proclaiming himself president on the election's first anniversary, Abiola, a billionaire businessman and publisher, is awaiting trial on treason charges.

Randall Echols, Abiola's U.S. representative, said the United States should unilaterally impound Nigerian assets to conserve them for a future democratic government and as collateral for U.S. aid costs in event of a Rwanda-style refugee exodus.

"This is the particular sanction we think the U.S. government is going to implement, but how soon we don't know," Echols told the forum.

Nigerian- and other African-Americans should press hard for action, he added, asking, "Do Nigerian bodies have to be floating down the River Niger in order to draw a firm response?"

A State Department official said Nigerian military ruler Sani Abacha's decrees last week restricting civil liberties and the courts "certainly run counter to everything the U.S. stands for" but had no information about adding more sanc-

tions to current U.S. entry restrictions against Nigerians.

The United States stands for democratization without favoring any specific person, and the situation is under constant review, added the official, speaking on condition of anonymity.

"If we want to talk about priorities and national interests, Nigeria is by far more important to this country and its economy than Haiti, with all respect for Haiti," Echols said.

An estimated \$6 billion, mostly payments for Nigerian oil, lie in U.S. banks, he said, and freezing them is justified as collateral against "the impending cost of refugee services. Should Nigeria go into civil war, the aid costs will quadruple the \$200 million that U.S. taxpayers are paying for the Rwanda refugee effort."

Obioha described Nigerian foreign assets as private "stolen wealth" siphoned from oil revenues by corrupt military and civilian officials that should be used to pay the country's foreign debt or eventually returned to the treasury.

Liberals and Separatists race

By JEFFREY ULBRICH
Associated Press

MONTREAL Quebec's beleaguered Liberals, faced with poll predictions of their crushing defeat in Monday's provincial election, insist it's still a horserace with the separatists of the Parti Quebecois.

Their logic? That old favorite — the undecided voter — will bail them out.

"It is really illogical to vote for separatists if you don't want Quebec to separate from Canada," Premier Daniel Johnson, the Liberal standard-bearer, said Sunday.

He warned that a Parti Quebecois victory would mean "upheaval."

"That's the choice tomorrow: realism, and Quebec as a senior member in the community of Canada, or radicalism," Johnson said, adding that Parti Quebecois leader Jacques Parizeau "incarnates total

radicalism."

Parizeau, 64, wrapped his 50-day campaign on Sunday pressing the flesh in his home district of Assomption, north of Montreal.

Parizeau is the champion of those who feel that Francophones, who comprise about 85 percent of the province's 7 million people, are treated like second-class citizens in largely Anglophone Canada. Many fear their language and culture eventually will be absorbed by the English sea.

He has promised that if his party wins a majority of the 125 seats in the Quebec legislature and forms the next government, it will hold a referendum on independence within a year.

Polls consistently have shown the PQ should win, by margins ranging from 3 percent to 10 percent. The same polls, however, show Quebecois are not nearly so keen on independence and would vote down the

referendum if it were held now.

The undecided vote is often not reported, although it has ranged as high as 15 percent. However, because of population distribution, the Liberals would have to take many French-speaking districts to win the election.

That is unlikely, as political support tends to follow linguistic lines. The PQ has very strong support among Francophones. Anglophones and those whose first language is neither French nor English massively favor the Liberals.

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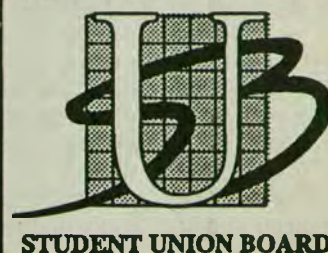
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Brown faces discrimination

Students accuse Office of Financial Aid and Athletic Department of minority and gender bias

By EDWARD IMBUS
News Writer

Three officers of the Office of Financial Aid at Brown University in Providence, Rhode Island have been accused of discrimination against minority students.

Nine undergraduate students at Brown have requested an outside investigation of the situation by the United States Department of Education Office of Civil Rights.

The students allege that the Office of Financial aid has not treated minority students equally in the distribution of money and in their behavior towards the students and their individual needs.

The department of University Relations responded to the accusations in a statement that acknowledges problems in the financial aid office, yet it denies that "these problems are racial or ethnic in nature."

In further response to the student accusations, the Vice President for Administration has established a Task Force on Financial Aid to evaluate how

services are administrated to students.

Additionally, Director of Financial Aid Fernando de Necochea was removed from his post and replaced by Anthony Canchola-Flores, Senior Associate Director of Admission.

Students have suggested that the administration consult a specialist in race relations to investigate the problem and that students should be protected from any reprisal for coming forth to tell of any discrimination that they have encountered.

Also, students have specified that they have not asked for the removal of anyone from the financial aid department, only that they are reprimanded for misbehavior and that students are treated fairly in the future.

Also with regard to gender bias, a class-action sex discrimination suit brought against Brown will formally be tried next week in federal district court.

The case was filed in April of 1991 when Brown made significant cuts in its sports program

by reclassifying four varsity teams, two women and two male, as club sports. By doing so, the sports would not be eligible for university funding.

Amy Cohen, a member of the women's gymnastics team, challenged the cuts as a violation of Title IX of the 1972 Federal Education Amendment by filing the class action suit.

The suit claims that the ultimate result of the cuts would be an athletic department of approximately 65 percent male varsity athletes, and that such disproportionality is discriminatory under Title IX.

The other female varsity team to be reclassified, women's volleyball, also joined the suit.

Prior to the case going to trial, an federal court injunction was issued against Brown prohibiting the administration from making the cuts in the women's varsity sports teams until a judgment or settlement had been reached.

The reclassification of men's varsity golf and water polo, however, were approved by the court and effected by the university last year.

CAMPUS BRIEFS

18 ROTC units to close next year

The Reserve Officers Training Corps at 18 colleges and universities across the country will be closed by the U.S. Army at the end of the 1994-95 academic year.

The 18 units were forewarned about the possibility of closing due to budget cuts and lack of need for new officers. Decisions about which units were to close were decided by dwindling enrollment numbers.

One particular unit located at Washinton University was closed for failure to abide by ROTC guidelines and regulations.

The Army stated that the university failed to provide spaces for facilities, credit students academically for ROTC, and for ignoring the Defense Department's policy of excluding gay people from the armed forces.

This is the largest reduction of units since 1990 when the U.S. Army closed 50 units.

Professor accused of lab misconduct

Oakland University has recently accused and suspended a science professor for research misconduct.

According to colleagues of the professor, G. Rasul Chaudhry, his research with the HIV virus created a hazardous work environment in the lab which they all shared.

Chaudhry's colleagues reported that they were not informed about the research being conducted and were therefore unable to take necessary precautions to protect themselves from possible infection.

"There never was any explanation of the kind of work going on there," said associate professor of biological sciences, Fay Hansen-Smith. "By not knowing what was going on, I was deprived of the opportunity to make a choice about whether my work was so important that my students should be at risk."

Chaudhry defends that no guidelines of safety were violated in his research.

Klein challenges Calvin College

In the process of obtaining a trademark for their new logo, Calvin College located in Grand Rapids, Michigan, found opposition from the Calvin Klein Inc. clothing company.

Initially, the college didn't expect any problems and were shocked when the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office informed them of the conflict.

"Apparently it raised a red flag with them," said Phil DeHaan, the college's spokesperson.

Klein has since dropped the issue and is allowing the college to use the original logo design.

ROTC Units Closing After 1994-95 Academic Year

- Benedict College
- California State University at Long Beach
- Delta State University
- Dillard University
- Elon College
- Louisiana State University at Shreveport
- Northwest Missouri State University
- Pennsylvania State University Altoona campus
- Pennsylvania State University Schuylkill campus
- San Jose State University
- University of Bridgeport
- University of Nebraska at Kearney
- University of North Florida
- University of Puerto Rico Humacao College
- University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
- University of Tulsa
- University of Wisconsin at Whitewater
- Washington University

Documents found at Saint Johns U.

Professor George Greenia had the shock of his life when he discovered a 14th-century Spanish legal document hidden in a vault at Saint John's University.

The sheepskin scroll, along with 40 others documents, are believed to have been brought to the university by a monk who placed them in the unknown vault without telling anyone about their existence.

The first document that Greenia discovered ended up to be one the most important manuscripts that have turned up in an American library for decades.

"My first reaction was delight, followed by a sense of certainty that it must have been researched and catalogued," said Greenia.

However, librarians Maureen and Paul Watry said they had no idea that the documents even existed.

Freshmen aided with transition

In an effort to help freshmen become better adjusted to college life, several schools have introduced unique freshman orientation programs to aid in the transition.

To promote community involvement in addition to academics, students at Illinois College worked in local parks planting trees and painting fences.

At the University of Puget Sound in Tacoma, Washington, students partake in a three-day camping trip that includes hiking, mountain biking, and canoeing.

-Information from the Chronicle of Higher Education

Carjacking surprises U. of Miami

By MARCY DINIUS
Campuses Editor

With the recent carjacking of a University of Miami student in a Holiday Inn parking lot near campus, the increasing problem of crime involving the university and its students has become a significant issue on the Coral Gables campus.

Favzi Hamadah was approached by five men with a shotgun as he was looking in the trunk of his rental car, forced to the ground, and robbed of his possessions and the car.

Police followed the carjackers in what was nearly a half-hour chase, resulting in the apprehension of the car's driver and the return of Hamadah's stolen

belongings.

A conflict ensued between the police and the victim, who was accused of being uncooperative because he was Saudi Arabian by the police.

Yet Hamadah, who is a



Kuwaiti citizen, responded that he cooperated with authorities and that the problem instead lies with a government that does not regulate the use and

ownership of guns more strictly.

What is unusual about the carjacking is that it occurred in an upscale neighborhood where such crimes are usually not encountered.

Some students expressed surprise at the commission of such a crime in the Coral Gables area. Yet others related their continued confidence in the safety of the campus and the adjacent area.

According to police at the Coral Gables Police Department, 98 percent of all criminals that commit crimes in the area come from outside Coral Gables. In addition, nearly 100 cars are stolen every day from the Dale county area.

Human rights data bank established

Yale, U. of Cincinnati cooperate to create bibliography

By MARCY DINIUS
Campuses Editor

With the recent death of Yale law librarian Diana Vincent-Davis who spearheaded the project to allow students and academicians access to human rights documents that would otherwise be obscure, librarians and scholars at Yale and the University of Cincinnati have continued Vincent-Davis' work by scanning the documents on to a data bank on the Internet computer network.

The project, named "Diana" in honor of its initial supporter, has the goal of gathering different types of material pertaining to human rights in an effort to establish the first comprehensive bibliography for such information.

In the past, anyone wishing to research specific areas of the

human rights issue have had to receive materials through inter-library loan or by actually travelling to a site at which such materials are kept.

In addition to improving the ease of access, the effort has also been helpful in the preservation of printed human rights documents whose conditions in many cases has begun to deteriorate.

In April, the University of Cincinnati began feeding documents on to the Internet. Yet with no funding at either Cincinnati or Yale specifically allocated to the project, its participants are limited to computerizing the documents only when money becomes available.

Thus far, the project has only received a \$30,000 grant from the United States Institute of

Peace and a \$15,000 grant from the National Center for Automated Information Research.

In approximately one year, librarians plan to have a significant number of documents available for on-line access.

The program is advised by a board of 12 scholars and librarians specializing in human rights-related work. Other schools, libraries, and human-rights groups are also being asked to contribute to the effort. Ultimately, the participants in the program hope to translate the documents into other languages and allow access with the use of a few key words for a greater ease in use of the information.

Currently, "Diana" is available through Mosaic or any World-Wide Web program under the Universal Resource Locator, <http://www.law. uc.edu/Diana>.

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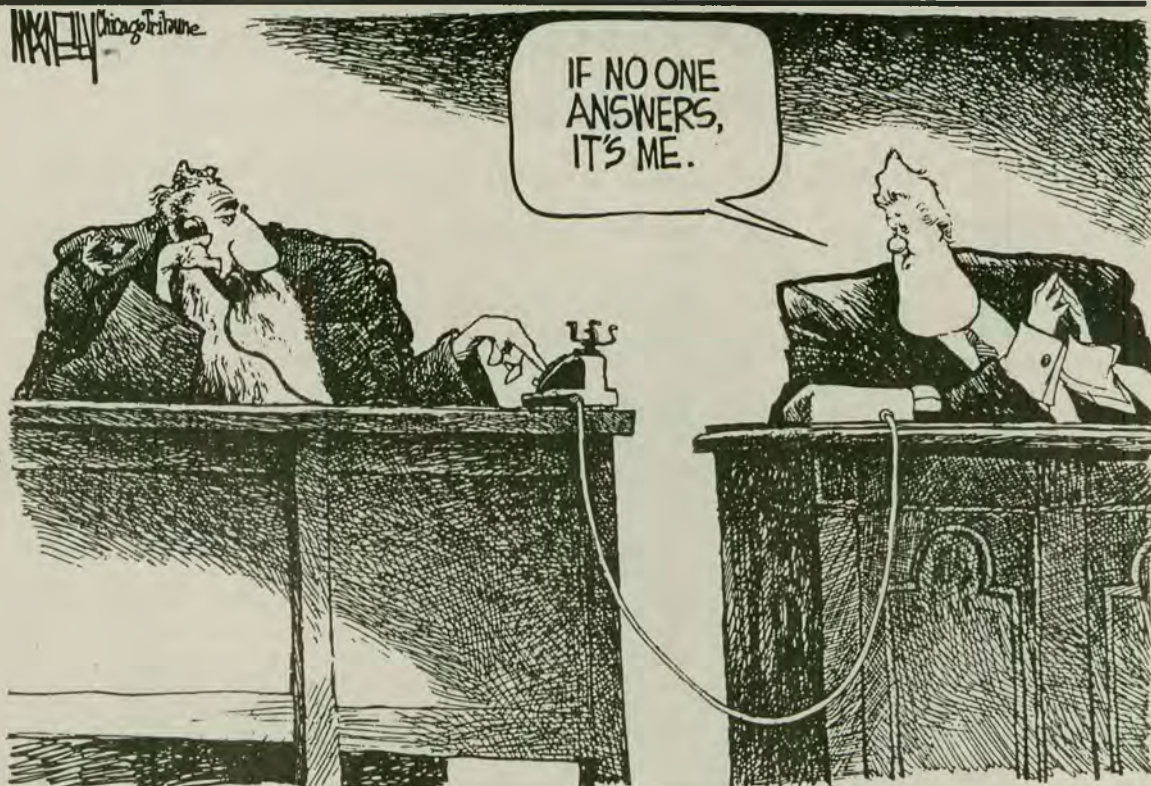
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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Pro-active measures: Earlier counseling and support needed

Dear Editor:

The recent tragic death of graduate student Alexandru Bumbacea shares some remarkable similarities to the suicide of another student two years ago. Both were graduate students in Mathematics. Both were foreign nationals from Eastern Europe. I point out what is similar between the two cases not to assign blame of to find a common cause, but instead to try to break an all-too-familiar pattern.

The University, especially through the offices of the Counseling Center and Campus Ministry, has been exceptionally supportive when students die. They provide a much needed service through difficult times for individuals, residence halls and departments that are struck with the tragedy of student suicide. I leaned all this first hand two years ago.

Two years ago I was concerned that the University was taking too much of a reactionary attitude towards the problem of campus suicide and not enough of a precautionary one. Two years ago as I went from University office to University office, I pledged the full support of the Graduate Student Union to any department, office or group that was willing to fight against this problem. No one had any ideas. I think we have waited two years too long to start looking for them.

Do I have an answer to this problem? No. I suspect that the answer may be something of a holistic approach combining the existing avenues of support with a stronger base of support for students, especially those far away from home. We should be aware of the incredible pressures put on the members of our Notre Dame family.

Any such program shouldn't be limited to any one branch of the University. A broad-based support mechanism should be able to address the pressures felt by students, faculty and staff alike, to address the pressures felt by students, faculty and staff alike, whether they live on-campus or off, be undergraduates or graduates, Catholics or non-Catholics. It is my sincere hope that it will not take another student suicide to bring such a program into existence.

MIKE KELLY

GSU President 1992-93

THE WINTER OF MY DISCONTENT

Why the buck should stop here

This past summer lost amidst the highly partisan congressional wrangling over such issues as health care reform and the Federal crime package was the introduction of one of the most potentially revolutionary pieces of legislation put forward in over a decade. The Freedom and Fairness Restoration Act (HR 6 introduced June 16) seeks to rectify the central malady plaguing our government today; the fact that it is too big, too intrusive and that it both overtaxes and overspends.

Chris Kratovil



A few quick facts make this assertion transparently obvious. The American public sector is now larger than the entire economy of any other nation in the world, excluding only Japan. The average family currently pays more in taxes than it does on the the combined necessities of food, clothing and shelter. The number of government employees outnumbers total employment in the manufacturing sector. And perhaps most telling, nearly 40 percent of the nation's total income is now spent but by politicians and bureaucrats at various levels of government.

The Freedom and Fairness Restoration Act seeks to address this crisis through several deep but basic reforms. The first of these proposals is the scrapping of the entire current federal tax code in favor of a simple flat tax system. Our current system is, as anyone who has ever filled out their own tax return knows, is fatally flawed; rates are high, loopholes still abound and those not in a position to hire an expensive CPA or tax attorney are unfairly burdened. In what must

qualify as one of the greatest wastes of time in human history every year, there are over 5.4 billion manhours spent by Americans simply trying to figure out their taxes (imagine both the productivity and leisure time lost in this effort). Further, the current code commits the economic atrocity of taxing income once when it is earned and taxed again when it produces income as savings. This double taxation of savings imposes an immense and unnecessary burden on our economy.

In stark contrast to the well documented absurdities and inconsistencies inherent in our current system stands the simplicity and efficiency of the proposed flat tax. In essence the plan would work as follows: all personal income would be taxed once at the constant rate of 17 percent. The only possible break would be a \$5300 per child deduction (roughly twice the current level) and a personal allowance of \$13,100 for an individual, \$17,200 for a single head of a household and \$26,000 for a married couple. In terms of business and corporate taxes the same principle would be extended as profits (the difference between revenue and expenses, is positive) would be taxed at this 17 percent rate.

The proposed 17 percent flat rate is low enough to guarantee most Americans a substantial tax cut and yet according to the numbers offered by Congressman Dick Armey, the author of HR 6, provides sufficient revenue to meet scaled back federal needs. Additionally, it is reasonable to assume that the imposition of a flat tax could initiate a period of substantial economic expansion due to the total elimination of such growth-shackling measures as the estate tax and the capital-gains tax.

Another key tax reform is the elimination of that most insidious of government revenue devices; income tax withholding. By taking people's money before they ever see it, the

government has managed to raise taxes to their current levels without provoking substantial popular dissent. If citizens paid their taxes directly from their own pockets in the same manner in which they make house or car payments the egregious rate of taxation we are now burdened with would never have been reached; the political reality of the situation would not permit it. By ending the deceptive and obfuscating system of withholding tax a powerful check can be placed on the innate tax-and-spend ways of Washington.

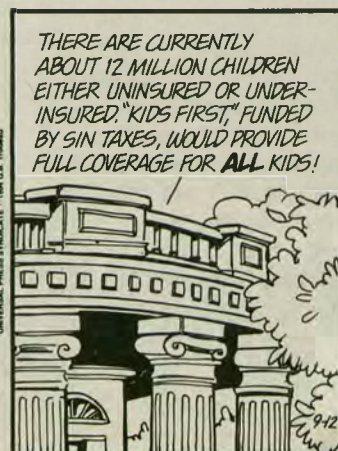
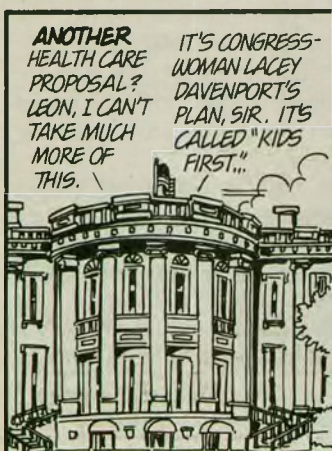
Of course there will be all the predictable objections to the Freedom and Fairness Restoration Act originating from all of the predictable places. The establishmentarians in Washington will deride the flat tax proposal as "unfair" because they fear it as a threat to their spend-happy ways. Leftist ideologues will decry the loss of the "progressive" income tax, ignoring the fact that this plan would take millions of poor and working poor off the tax rolls via its generous personal allowances and doubled deductible for children. Some will express legitimate concern about the loss of such loopholes as the home mortgage deduction, but the vastly increased capitol available due to the elimination of the double tax on savings will offset this.

The underlying appeal of filing out one's entire tax return on a form the size of a post card is undeniable. There is also something fundamentally fair about treating every one in the same way rather than letting self-serving politicians decide which groups should surrender what portion of their earnings to Washington. Replacing the tax bureaucracy and its accompanying parasites with a simple, efficient and fair flat tax system would constitute a major victory in the battle to retake control of our government.

Kratovil is a sophomore government major.

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

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MICHIGAN NOTRE DAME
26-24

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TOP QUOTE

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— Irish coach Lou Holtz

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**BUMBLING
BECTON**

■ Lee Becton (left) fumbled twice in Saturday's game, the first coming after 233 consecutive carries without a turnover.

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Hail to the kicker



The Observer/Scott Mendenhall

Hamilton's heroic field goal erases Irish comeback

By GEORGE DOHRMANN
Sports Editor

"You can do it"

Those were the words Mike Gillette whispered into the ear of Remy Hamilton minutes before he nailed a 42-yard field goal, moments before he stabbed the hearts of Notre Dame fans, and precious seconds before Michigan killed an Irish comeback with a 26-24 win at Notre Dame Stadium.

Gillette knew what it meant to have that chance. The game on the line, all eyes on him, and all thoughts on his ability to kick a ball between two posts.

It was 1988 when Gillette lined up for his moment. Notre Dame was ahead 19-17 and at the beginning of a national championship season.

But he missed.

So on this day a former Wolverine wanted to give hope to a friend he just met. Notre Dame called timeout, Gillette spoke those words, and Hamilton listened. And he did what Gillette has done in his dreams for five years.

"He was probably one of the greatest kickers to come through here," Hamilton said about Gillette. "But I had never met him until

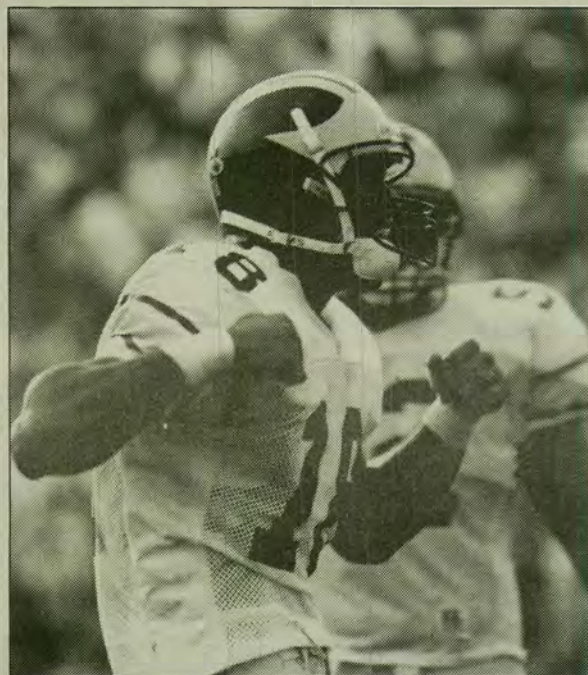
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Derrick Mayes' twisting catch (top) gave Notre Dame its short-lived lead until Michigan quarterback Todd Collins (left) directed a drive that resulted in Remy Hamilton's game-winning field goal (right, middle) and Amani Toomer's celebration (right, bottom).

■ **JOCK STRIP**

Exchange error haunts Zataveski

Mark Zataveski stared at his feet and cursed his hands.

In more than two weeks as Notre Dame's starting center, he and quarterback Ron Powlus had not botched a single exchange.

Not in practice.

Not against Northwestern.

Not in the first 57 minutes of Saturday's game against Michigan.

But in the 58th minute, on the second play of a potential game-winning drive, Powlus rose from his crouch under center without the ball.

Michigan recovered deep in its own territory, just 34 yards from putting the game out of reach.

"It was the first (failed exchange) we've had since I moved to center," Zataveski said. "What a time to have it."

Neither Powlus nor Zataveski knew how it happened, but both knew how it hurt.

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Jason Kelly
Associate Sports Editor

Jeremy's stellar performance all for Nau-ght

Inspired defensive effort wasted as Irish lose late lead

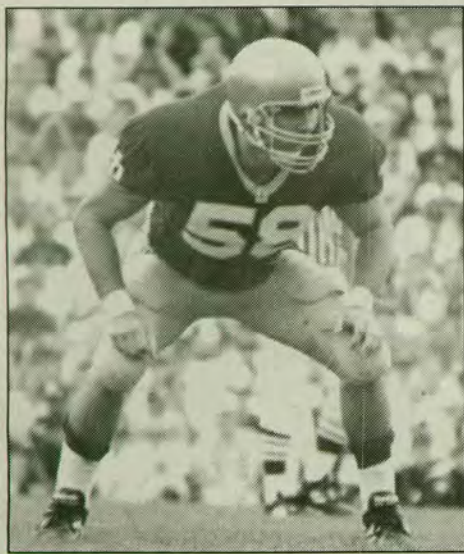
By JASON KELLY
Associate Sports Editor

It should have been Jeremy Nau's defining game.

In just the third start of his career, the senior outside linebacker ignited the Notre Dame defense with eight tackles, including a quarterback sack that forced a fumble.

And his animated celebrations breathed life into a gasping unit.

"I try to play with emotion. That's just my personality. I do the same thing in practice," Nau said. "Maybe I got a little



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Jeremy Nau prepares to charge the Wolverine offense.

carried away today, but so what?"

He carried a defense that allowed only 116 rushing yards, despite a 100-yard performance from Tim Biakabutuka.

"Jeremy Nau played inspired football," Irish coach Lou Holtz said.

It should have been his defining game. Instead, it was just a loss, as bitter as any other in his career.

The fact that he played probably his best college game didn't matter much to him.

And it will be but a footnote in the record of a typically tantalizing Notre Dame-Michigan matchup.

Nau's heroics will be lost in the reminiscence of fumbles and field goals.

"I'm not going to sit here and talk about my personal accolades," he said. "I feel terrible about what happened."

He did his part to make sure that what happened—a 26-24 loss to Michigan—didn't happen.

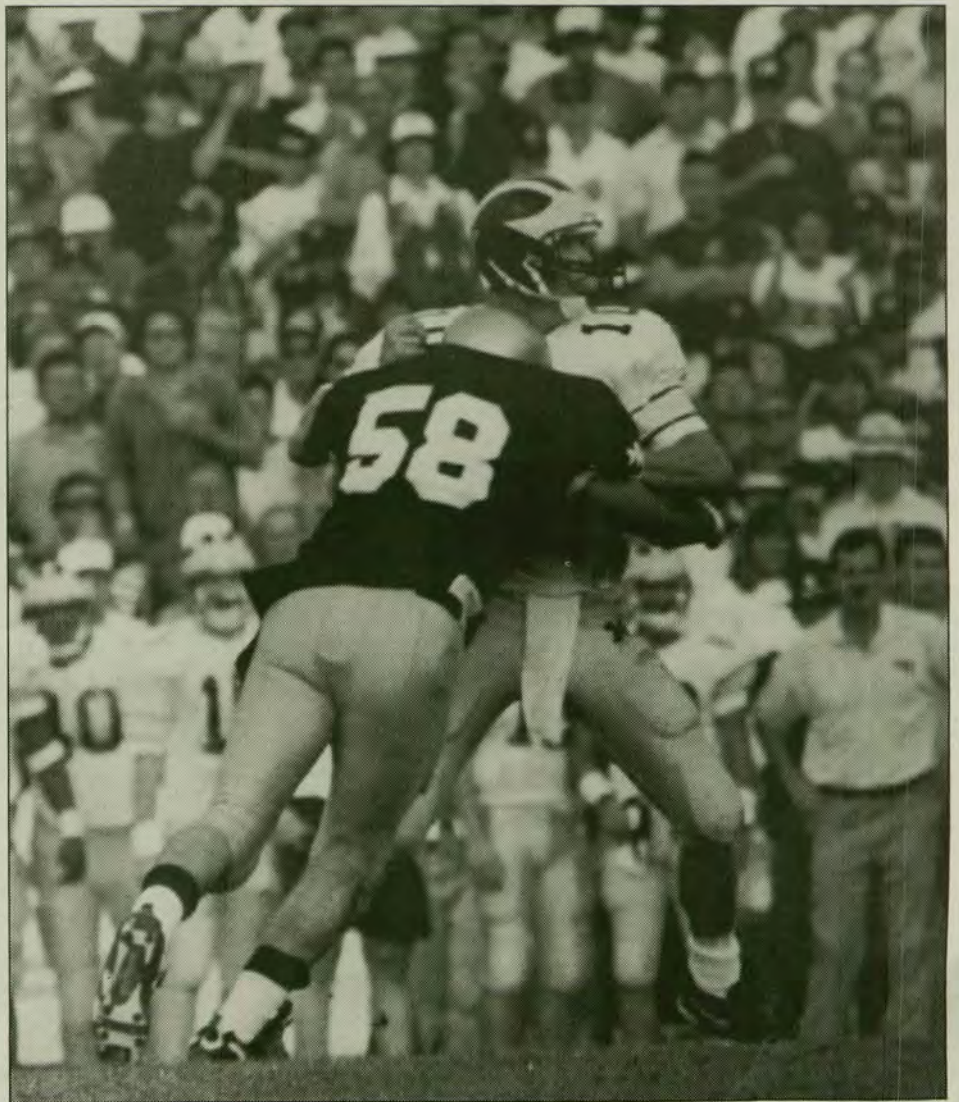
Roaming around backfield, he hunted Wolverines and hit hard when he found his prey. And celebrated hard, dancing and kicking his legs to rouse his teammates.

But because emotion plays such a big part in how he plays, the extremes are pretty extreme.

And Saturday's game had its share of ups and downs, most notably Notre Dame's rapid rise and fall in the final minute.

"I had my head in my hands and almost cried when we kicked the extra point (to take the lead in the final minute)," Nau said, though his tears flowed for the wrong reason a few moments later. "Right now, I just feel like crap."

He had reason to feel that way. At the pep rally the night before the game, Nau spoke to the crowd and said if Notre Dame lost to Michigan "our season



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Outside linebacker Jeremy Nau sacks Michigan quarterback Todd Collins, forcing a fumble. Nau finished with eight tackles.

would be over."

Those words had a painful ring late Saturday afternoon.

With plenty of personal reasons to feel

proud, Nau felt only pain.

"I thought I did a decent job," he said. "It's nice, but personal accolades don't mean squat."

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today before the game. He just came up to me and said something like 'Just go out there and have a good day. Good Luck.'

It was perfect luck.

It will be "The Kick" just as there is "The Catch" for Wolverine fans, a reference to Desmond Howard's grab in 1991 that propelled Michigan to a win.

Hamilton will be the hero for at least three years. College football fans will have to wait that long for the series to resume.

"The Kick" wasted a perfect touchdown by Notre Dame's Derrick Mayes with :52 seconds left. The junior wide receiver made a acrobatic catch on a Ron Powlus pass from seven yards out. It looked like the game winner.

"I thought we it won. I was sure we had it won," said Mayes, who had 107 yards receiving. "But it was just like Boston College."

It was exactly like Boston College. In the Irish's final home game last year Notre Dame roared back in the final quarter, went ahead on a touchdown pass, and then lost 41-39 as David Gordon kicked a 41-yard field goal as time expired. He was an obscure player with questionable ability. He was Hamilton.

"He (Hamilton) couldn't hit an extra point or a field goal last spring and to go from where he was hitting them like he was today, it's all to

his credit," Michigan assistant Mike DeBord said.

The game-winner was Hamilton's fourth field goal of the day, and a chance he wasn't likely to get with Michigan starting its final drive at its own 17-yard line. But Michigan quarterback Todd Collins scrambled for 15 yards, and then split Notre Dame's defense for a 26 yard gain with a pass to tight end Jay Reimersma.

After hitting Seth Smith for nine yards to the Notre Dame 33 yard line, Collins made a game-saving play. With Irish linebacker Bert Berry draped over him, he spun away and flipped a pass to Smith who got nine more yards and, more importantly, out of bounds, stopping the clock at :07.

It was a drive eerily similar to the one Glenn Foley directed in the Boston College upset. He, like Collins was as much a hero as the men who kicked the field goals.

And with heros come goats. For Notre Dame it was Lee Becton. The senior tailback did not fumble once in 1993 and had gone 223 carries without losing the ball, dating back to Michigan State in 1992. But twice Becton put the ball on the stadium grass, two of three fumbles on the day for the Irish. All three turnovers resulted in field goals by Hamilton.

"It was a great comeback by Notre Dame followed by a great comeback by Michigan," Irish coach Lou Holtz said. "There were a lot of big plays by both teams.

It's disappointing like the Boston College game."

Notre Dame had its chance early in the second half when Marc Edwards' eight yard touchdown run broke a 10-10 tie. Michigan defensive back Tyrone Noble could be given as much credit for the score. With Notre Dame facing third and 16 Noble was flagged for pass interference, giving the Irish first-and-ten from the Michigan 12.

But Michigan responded with a three-yard strike from Collins to Reimersma. The drive was highlighted by running back Tim Biakabutuka, who finished the day with 100-yards on 25 carries. His 20 yard catch put the ball at the Notre Dame seven-yard line.

Hamilton hit a pair of field goals in the fourth before his game winner. Becton's second fumble set up the first kick and a botched snap between Powlus and center Mark Zataveski set the stage for the second.

Notre Dame's final scoring drive looked to be enough, and although lacking in relevance at the end, was near perfect. Michael Miller returned a kickoff 55 yards to the Michigan 36. Powlus hit Mayes for 17 yards. A pass interference call on Deon Johnson put the ball at the two and after an illegal shift penalty Powlus hit Mayes in the back of the end-zone.

But it ended up meaning nothing as Gillette spoke and hoped and Hamilton listened.

"This loss hurts," Holtz said. "And it will hurt for a long time."

■ GRADED POSITION ANALYSIS

QUARTERBACKS—B

Not as stellar as the opener but led the comeback when needed. Missed a few checks but dodged pressure well.

RUNNING BACKS—C-

A senior captain has two fumbles. Outrushed Michigan but had few big plays as the Irish offense was forced to go to the air.

RECEIVERS—A

Derrick Mayes, Derrick Mayes, Derrick Mayes — Throw it anywhere in the stadium and he'll catch it.

OFFENSIVE LINE—C-

Center Mark Zataveski said it best, "We have a long way to go." Powlus was hurried and the running game sputtered. A key fumble in the fourth quarter was due to a bad exchange.

DEFENSIVE LINE—A-

They needed to be tougher to stop Michigan's running attack and did just that. They put pressure on Todd Collins and came up big twice in the fourth quarter holding Michigan to field goals.

LINEBACKERS—A

Justin Goheen had a sack and played inspired. Jeremy Nau had the game of his life. Bert Berry almost made the sack of the century for the Irish. The run defense was excellent and the group was an emotional spark on the field.

SECONDARY—C+

When they needed to come up big they didn't. Final drive pass to tight end Jay Reimersma was a big blunder that may have been the play of the game. If it wasn't for corner Bobby Taylor this group would be seeing its counselor to discuss major tutoring.

SPECIAL TEAMS—B-

Michael Miller's late return doesn't overshadow a poor day for the coverage and return teams. In all but the final drive, Michigan was looking at great field position after a kickoff. Stefan Schreffner was solid kicking and Brian Ford excelled despite poor snaps.

COACHING—B

It's hard to question the man, but maybe you do in this case. Late timeout was called because Irish had 12 men on the field. If that's not the case, the play clock expires and Michigan is looking at a farther field goal shot.

GAME G.P.A.—2.89

Notre Dame put itself in position to win but the let it slip away. Michigan deserves a lot of credit but that's two home games in a row the Irish couldn't hold the lead in the final minute.

—GEORGE DOHRMANN

Becton bobbles the ball like never before

His two fumbles stall Irish offense

By RIAN AKEY
Associate Sports Editor

Notre Dame upperclassmen can remember the way Lee Becton used to carry the football.

But that doesn't necessarily mean they can recall the on-field reusling performances that made Becton a pre-season Heisman contender his senior year.

Rather, they may remember seeing him cutting through South Quad, or ducking through a hole to get to the soda machine during heavy lunch hour traffic at the dining hall, because one of Becton's old trademarks was that he carried the ball with him around campus, an effort to help make the ball feel like a part of his body.

But in Saturday's loss to Michigan, Becton's 76-yard rushing effort raised few eyebrows. Instead, it was Becton's two fumbles which turned heads, causing more commotion than if he had dropped his tray in the dining hall.

Because everyone watching the game knew that the outcome would depend on which team made fewer mistakes. Because early in the game Becton seemed to be rallying from a disappointing 16-yard performance against Northwestern.

Because Becton doesn't fumble.

The only previous fumble in Becton's career at Notre Dame came against Texas A & M in the 1993 Cotton Bowl, 233 carries before he dropped his first against Michigan.

The earth made more rotations between Becton's first and second career fumbles than the minute hand on a

wristwatch did between his second and third.

And even Becton cannot explain why. "I wasn't holding the ball any differently," he said. "I don't know what happened."

But even Becton's fumbles were no more than exclamation marks on an overall Irish rushing effort which could not meet the standards set in season's past.

The woes that the Irish rushing game would suffer were perhaps foreshadowed in Notre Dame's first touchdown drive late in the opening quarter.

A 33-yard gain on a Mayes reception gave the Irish a first-and-goal at the Michigan 1-yard line. Michigan held the line against rushes by Powlus twice and Marc Edwards once before Powlus connected with Becton in the end zone on a finesse pass.

Although Notre Dame having to resort to a Powlus pass for the score may be more indicative of problems with the maturing offensive line, it also illustrates the increasing reliance the Irish have on big-play offense.

While past Notre Dame teams under Holtz have made a habit of grinding out five- and six-yard gains, the Irish frequently had to settle for short yardage gains against Michigan, requiring longer third- and fourth-down conversions—and more passing attempts.

While this style may be more exciting for Irish fans, it lacks the consistency Holtz may crave.

And for Becton, his reputation as a consistent rusher will not be affected by



Lee Becton (4) had trouble handling the ball Saturday, but thanks to the Michigan defense, he had no trouble hitting the turf.



his performance on Saturday. "Lee went all last year without a fumble," said head coach Lou Holtz. "He has been a fine player here, and had made some great plays and will continue to."

"I was not gun shy when I went back out after the fumbles," said Becton. And so Becton will continue to carry the ball the same way he always has—at least on the field.

AP TOP 25				
TEAM	RECORD	POINTS	PREVIOUS	
1. Florida (27)	2-0-0	1492	2	
2. Nebraska (22)	2-0-0	1483	1	
3. Florida St. (5)	2-0-0	1384	4	
4. Michigan (2)	2-0-0	1370	6	
5. Miami (1)	2-0-0	1283	5	
6. Penn St. (2)	2-0-0	1239	8	
7. Colorado	1-0-0	1116	7	
8. Notre Dame	1-1-0	1095	3	
9. Arizona (2)	2-0-0	1091	9	
10. Wisconsin	1-0-0	1006	10	
11. Auburn	2-0-0	918	12	
12. Alabama (1)	2-0-0	877	11	
13. UCLA	2-0-0	792	13	
14. Texas A&M	2-0-0	785	16	
15. Tennessee	1-1-0	649	19	
16. North Carolina	1-0-0	582	17	
17. Texas	2-0-0	575	20	
18. Virginia Tech	2-0-0	473	21	
19. Washington	1-1-0	346	25	
20. Southern Cal	1-1-0	335	14	
21. Oklahoma	1-1-0	233	15	
22. Brigham Young	2-0-0	197	-	
23. Ohio St.	1-1-0	150	18	
24. Washington St.	2-0-0	130	-	
25. N. Carolina St.	2-0-0	128	-	

STATISTICS		
SCORE BY QUARTERS		
Michigan	7	3 10 6 26
Notre Dame	10	0 7 7 24
Attendance: 59,075		
TEAM STATS		
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First Downs	20	24
Rushes-Yards	40-116	44-165
Passing Yards	224	187
Comp-Att-Int	21-29-0	15-27-0
Return Yards	127	151
Punts-Avg	6-35.1	5-39.8
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	3-3
Penalties-Yards	6-62	6-46
Possession Time	29:45	30:15
INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS		
RUSHING-Notre Dame: Becton 13-76, Zellars 13-61, Kinder 3-11, Powlus 13-10, Edwards 2-7 TD. Michigan: Biakabutuka 25-100 TD, Hayes 1-17, Davis 7-9, Foster 1-3, Collins 6-(minus 13).		
PASSING-Notre Dame: Powlus 15-27-0-187 2TD. Michigan: Collins 21-29-0-224 TD.		
RECEIVING-Notre Dame: Mayes 7-106 TD, Miller 3-24, Zellars 2-31, Stafford 2-25, Becton 1-1 TD. Michigan: Toomer 5-72, Riemersma 5-68 TD, Foster 3-14, Biakabutuka 2-23, Hayes 2-20, Smith 2-18, Davis 2-9.		
TACKLES-Notre Dame: Magee 9, Nau 8 (2 sacks), Goheen 8 (1 sack), Wynn 7, Gibson 6 (1 fumble rec.), Taylor 5 (1 kick block), Saddler 5, Grasmanis 5, Hamilton 4, Sample 4, Wooden 3, Davis 3, Cobbins 2, Ceniga 2, McLaughlin 2, Moore 2. Michigan: Morrison 9 (1 fumble rec.), Irons 8, Winters 6, Pryce 5 (2 sacks, 1 fumble rec.), Law 5, Zenkewicz 5, Johnson 5, Waldrup 4, Thompson 3 (1 fumble rec.), Horn 3, Henderson 3, Noble 3, Hankins 2.		
SCORING SUMMARY		
FIRST QUARTER Notre Dame 3, Michigan 0 (9 plays, 44 yards, 3:59) 11:01—Stefan Schreffner connected on the first field goal attempt of his collegiate career, a 32-yarder. Key Play: Quarterback Ron Powlus slipped a potential sack and found Ray Zellars along the sideline for eight yards.		
Michigan 7, Notre Dame 3 (8 plays, 48 yards, 3:07) 7:54—Tim Biakabutuka scampered for ten yards and a touchdown. (Remy Hamilton PAT). Key Play: Michigan recovered a blocked field goal and advanced it for a first down at the 11 yard line.		
Notre Dame 10, Michigan 7 (14 plays, 80 yards, 6:43) 1:11—On fourth down from the one yard-line, Powlus found Lee Becton in the corner of the endzone (Schreffner PAT). Key Play: Derrick Mayes caught a pass over the middle and took it to the one-yard line.		
SECOND QUARTER Notre Dame 10, Michigan 10 (4 plays, 3 yards, 1:35) 5:00—Hamilton converted a 32-yard field goal attempt. Key Play: Lee Becton fumbled at Notre Dame's 18, setting up Michigan's scoring drive.		
THIRD QUARTER Notre Dame 17, Michigan 10 (10 plays, 75 yards, 4:45) 7:58—Marc Edwards scored on an eight-yard run (Schreffner PAT). Key Play: A pass interference call on third and 16 gave Notre Dame a first down deep in Wolverine territory.		
Notre Dame 17, Michigan 17 (10 plays, 64 yards, 3:50) Todd Collins found Jay Riemersma open in the endzone for a three yard touchdown pass (Hamilton PAT). Key Play: Biakabutuka caught a screen pass and scampered to the eight yard-line.		
Michigan 20, Notre Dame 17 (6 plays, 55 yards, 1:39) :39—Hamilton connected on a 34-yard field goal. Key Play: A 17-yard reverse to Mercury Hayes, who carried the ball to the Irish 17 yard-line.		
FOURTH QUARTER Michigan 23, Notre Dame 17 (6 plays, 20 yards, 2:20) 2:15—Hamilton connected on a 32 yard field goal. Key Play: A botched quarterback-center exchange was Notre Dame's third turnover and set up Michigan's score.		
Notre Dame 24, Michigan 23 (4 plays, 36 yards, 1:23) :52—Derrick Mayes made a twisting catch in the endzone, capping a dramatic last-minute drive (Schreffner PAT). Key Play: Mike Miller returned the kickoff to the Michigan 36.		
Michigan 26, Notre Dame 24 (5 plays, 58 yards, :50) :02—Hamilton kicked a 42-yard, game-winning field goal. Key Play: Collins escaped the Irish rush and found Riemersma for a 26-yard gain.		

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Zataveski ripped the helmet off his head on the sidelines, spewing expletives at himself.

Teammates tried to soothe him. Irish coach Lou Holtz also had a few reassuring words.

But Zataveski shouldered the burden alone for failing to execute football's most basic fundamental.

"It has to be there all the time," he said. "If it's not there, it has to be my fault."

It was a mistake that could have cost the Irish the game, but a stiff defensive stand allowed only a Wolverine field goal.

Zataveski had an opportunity for redemption.

With him at the center of the line, the Irish marched to a dramatic touchdown that gave them the lead with less than a minute to play.

Because every mistake—even the most minute—gnaws at the brawny senior, it was unclear how he would respond after the monumental miscue just a series earlier.

He played as though it never occurred, protecting Powlus and opening holes for Irish runners.

"Just put it behind you. You have to do it for the team," he said. "(The fumbled exchange) was obviously a devastating mistake, but there were another two minutes to play."

Game weeks are rough on Zataveski. He's a jumble of conflicting feelings, full of anxiety and anticipation.

He sweats every detail, every snap. When one goes wrong, he's a wreck.

One went wrong Saturday. A very important one, but one that ultimately didn't affect the outcome.

He was a wreck.

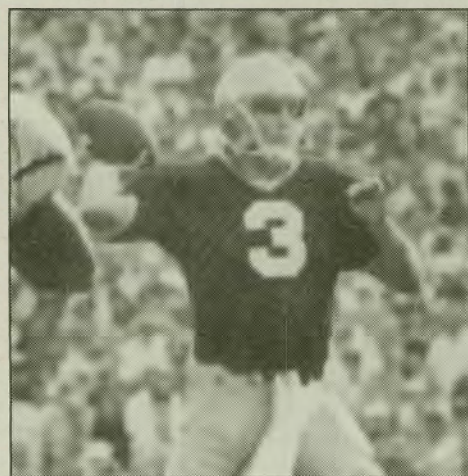
"I can't describe how I feel right now," he said, eyes still on the ground. "I guess I'll have to think of something to say."

No words were necessary.



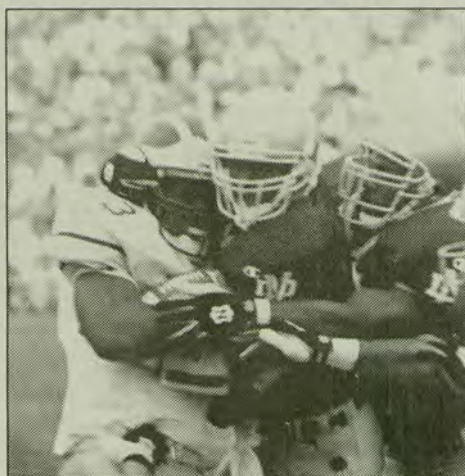
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Linebacker Justin Goheen celebrates a sack in the first half.



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Ron Powlus throws the go-ahead touchdown to Derrick Mayes.



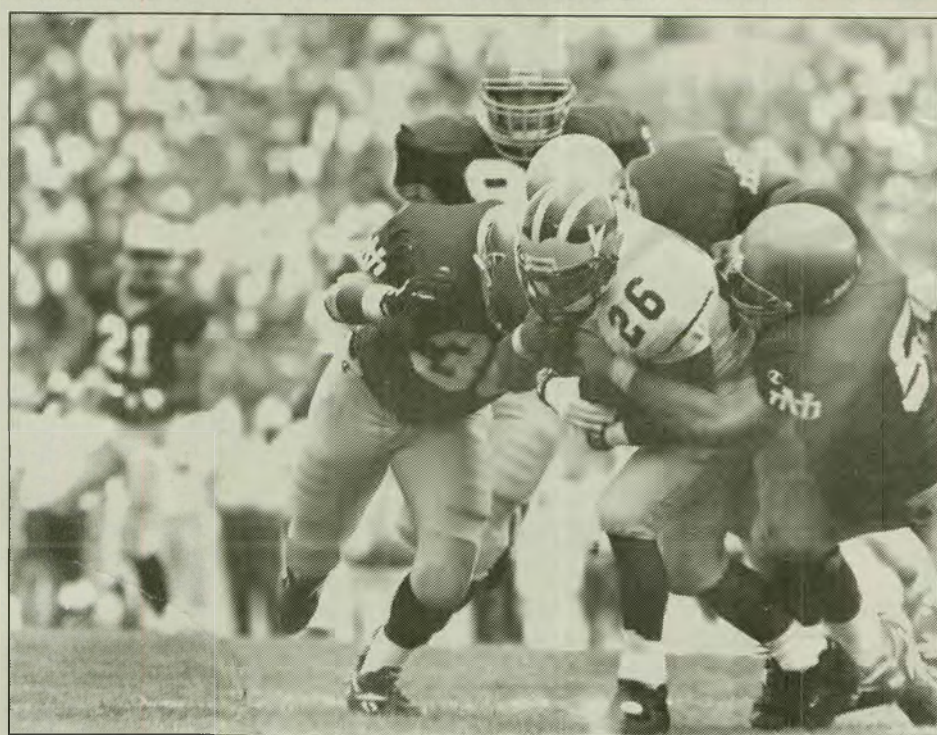
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Running back Che' Foster is met by Brain Magee during the third quarter.



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Linebacker Steve Morrison sacks quarterback Ron Powlus in the second quarter.



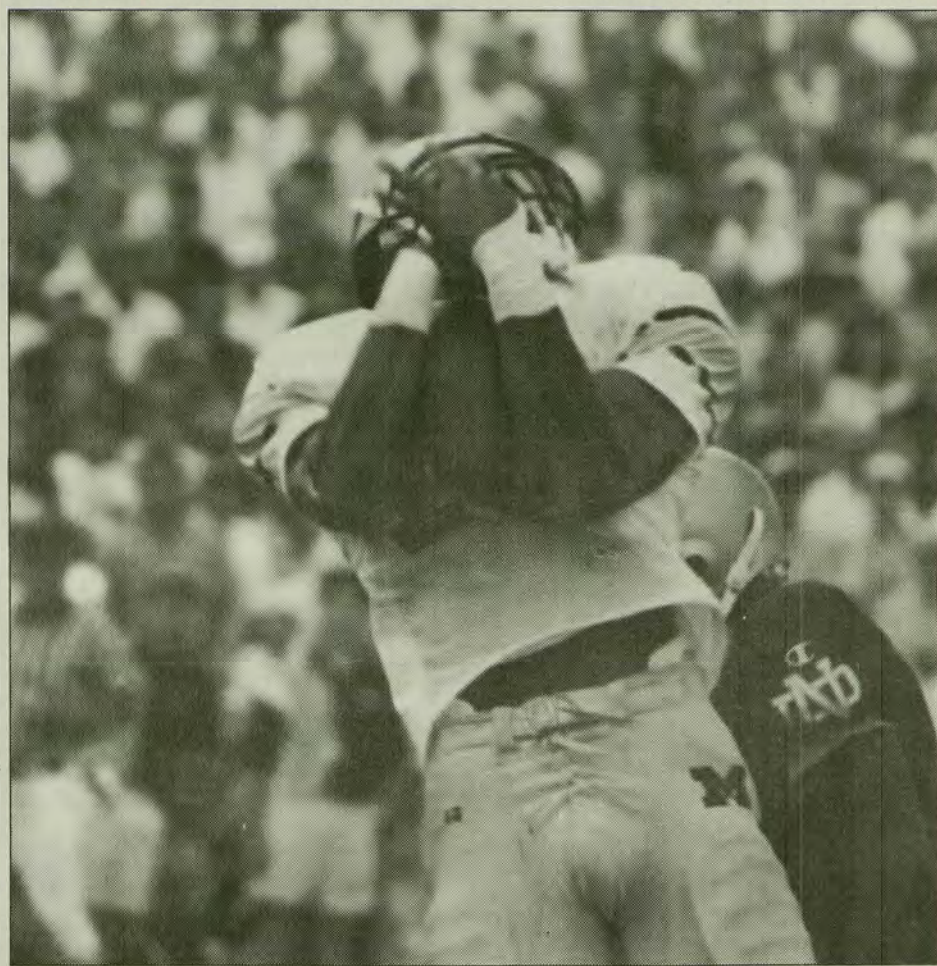
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Wolverine back Ed Davis lunges for extra yards as Irish defenders hang on.

■ FROM THE LENS

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Amani Toomer catches a fourth quarter pass. The Michigan wideout finished with 72 yards receiving.



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Freshman defensive back John McLaughlin celebrates his tackle of Amani Toomer on the kickoff before Michigan's game-winning drive.

■ FRESH THOUGHTS

Getting to know my pesky roommate

I cannot believe I am actually here at Notre Dame. A person couldn't ask for a better place to go to school, or a better dorm to live in.

But, one afternoon, I came home from a hard days trot at marching band and was greeted by my new roommate, a cockroach the size of a Shetland pony.

It glared at me with its cold, emotionless, black eye spots while its feelers twitched back and forth and pawed the floor like a bull ready to charge.

For a moment I froze, but getting my wits about me, I slowly reached for my foot and removed my shoe, brandishing it as if it were a samurai sword. Then I made my move.

In a flash of black leather, my trusty Diadora sliced downward through the air and landed with a smack on the tiled floor, missing the fleeing target.

At this point the clever insect scurried up the curtain that serves as a door for my closet, and into the cabinets above. Curiously enough, the cabinets have two rows of four round holes on each door which I have decided are probably air holes for whatever random rodents or insects live there.

Luckily, the only thing in the cabinets are a couple of duffel bags, which have probably been turned into a four star roach motel, and a nursery for all the larvae stage baby roaches.

But I am not bitter. I just went to the store, bought some roach motels, and placed them in every dark corner, nook and cranny, and possible roach hangout in my room.

The only problem now is that the roach is too large for the traps. Its like trying to park a Winnebago in a one car garage. Instead of poisoning the crusty critter, it merely entraps the gargantuan insect.

For about three days I thought I had rid myself of the brown exoskeletoned roommate, or that he had moved on to another warm, dark corner of the building. Then one day in the shower, as I reached for my soap, I felt something brush against my foot.

Looking down I saw him spinning around and around, caught in the drain's whirlpool. The bug, being defenseless at this point, provided me with the perfect opportunity.

I seized the chance and lifted my shampoo bottle to squash the pest, but through some kind of divine intervention the roach, in a burst of energy, paddled out of the whirlpool and happily slid into the next shower.

It was then that I gained a new respect for the persistent pest. I mean a roach's life is a hard one. Eating rotten food, mating, hiding in the shadows, eating more rotten food, and then doing some more mating. Roach's have enough to worry about.

So, far as I know, the roach is still lurking about the halls of Fisher, searching for small left-over crusts of Papa John's pizza, or a Snicker's wrapper with a smear of chocolate left. And maybe, just maybe, terrorizing some poor girl in Pangborn right now. We can only hope.



Dave Griffith
Accent Columnist

Rollerblading:

A sport, hobby, and workout growing in popularity

By SHANNON FORBES
Accent Writer

Long ago, nestled in a small town in northern Minnesota, there lived a small, but avid group of high school hockey players who were very upset. Spring had arrived; the ice was thawing, and hockey skates were no longer of any use. For months the group had suffered through 6:30 a.m. practices, biting cold winds and Minnesota's lengthy winter.

This close group of hockey players just could not accept the alighting of a season where hockey equipment had no place, so the group engineered a rough model of what would come to be one of the most popular pieces of sporting equipment in America. This invention marked the birth of in-line skating, commonly referred to as rollerblading.

Today, ABC's "Nightline" has declared rollerblading one of the fastest growing activities in the country. It rose to popularity as a crossover sport in which winter athletes—particularly hockey players—were able to stay in shape and keep their hockey form all year long.

The idea gained notoriety and rollerblading soon became a favorite sport that has come to be incorporated into the lives of approximately 75% of all people between the ages of sixteen and twenty-four, according to "Nightline."

One of the reasons rollerblading has become so accepted is due to its versatility. "I used to rollerblade to stay in shape for hockey, but I've come to enjoy it so much that now I rollerblade for the fun of it," Notre Dame junior, Mark Lorrelli said.

Many other Notre Dame and St. Mary's students enjoy rollerblading as a relaxing past time, needed study break, or mode of transportation to and from class.

Notre Dame sophomore Amy Martin "loves nothing more than rollerblading around campus on a nice day."

South Bend resident, Jenny Achter's interest in rollerblading has gotten her a job at Outpost Sports.

"Rollerblading is an excellent car-

diovascular workout. It works and tones all the major muscles in the back, legs, and arms," she said.

Rollerblading also gives the non-athlete a chance to exercise and to enjoy a fun hobby. Dedication to rollerblading can range from mere hobby to a seriously competitive sport. "Nightline" reported that most large cities across America participate in rollerblading marathons that are either five or ten kilometers.

Whether hobby or competition,

in the right rollerblades. "Some people will run over to 'Venture' and buy a cheap pair of rollerblades for \$50. These people will get hurt. It is important to spend the money and get something safe. The average price of a good pair of rollerblades is \$190," Achter said.

Some brands offer pumps that better support the Achilles tendon; others have five wheels that enable the skate to move much faster with less friction. Still others have new breaking systems that allow for less pres-

sure on the heel. It is important for prospective rollerbladers to speak to professionals about which rollerblade is best for their particular needs.

Secondly, people should not buy rollerblades right away. Most good sports stores allow customers to rent different types of rollerblades. To ensure the safety of new rollerbladers, most stores will even allow customers to skate in the store so accidents can be prevented.

Thirdly, the rollerblades themselves are only part of the essential equipment. Wrist guards, knee pads, and helmets are also necessary pieces of rollerblading equipment, to help prevent injury from inevitable spills.

Lastly, amateur rollerbladers should take lessons and learn slowly. Many sports stores offer lessons, critiques, and suggestions for rollerbladers

at all levels.

Beginning rollerbladers need to gradually build up ankles and stabilize form and balance. This is especially important for those beginning rollerbladers who have never roller-skated, ice skated, or downhill skied.

Rollerblading can be beneficial for all age groups and can fulfill the needs of almost every individual. Although at first a small slope may appear as challenging as skiing down the Swiss Alps. Cracks in the sidewalk can be as foreboding as the immense Grand Canyon, but successful rollerblading is merely a matter of practice and patience. Investing the time, effort, and money will result in an excellent, challenging, and enjoyable cardiovascular workout.



Sophomore Jason Felger and freshman Chris Moore enjoying in-line skating on the Notre Dame campus.

The Observer/Tom Perez

rollerblading must be taken very seriously. According to "Nightline," last year rollerblading accidents were responsible for the greatest percentage of injured people treated in emergency rooms. Twisted ankles and broken wrists are the result of improper equipment or inadequate training. People must be well aware of certain rules before their first time rollerblading, according to Achter.

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need another 5-0 or 6-0 win."

And his squad proved they were up to the pressure of facing top-10 competition on the road again on Sunday, with a dramatic overtime win against William & Mary.

Notre Dame opened the scoring at the 33:01 mark when Stacia Masters converted a long lead from Ashley Scharff to notch her fourth goal of the season.

William & Mary All-American Natalie Neaton, whose hat trick accounted for all of the Tribe's goals, tied the score 1-1 just minutes before the half, sending a shot just over Renola's

head.

After trading goals in the second half, the Irish fell behind 3-2 in the first overtime, as Neaton dumped a head shot past Renola.

With the pressure on, Notre Dame responded.

Guerrero sent a looping shot inside the right goal post just 28 seconds into the second overtime.

The teams remained deadlocked until late in the period, when junior forward Michelle McCarthy stole a William & Mary throw-in and hammered in a 22-yard shot which deflected off a defender and just inside the left post.

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■ VOLLEYBALL

Unbeaten Irish stand as biggest of the four



Freshman Angie Harris and the Irish volleyball team celebrate after another victory as Notre Dame captured their second straight Big Four title this weekend in Louisville.

By BETSY BAKER
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame volleyball team is off to its best start ever, as they improved their record to 9-0 this weekend with victories over Indiana, Kentucky, and Louisville this weekend at the Big Four tournament in Louisville, Kentucky.

It is the second year in a row that the Irish have been the champions of the Big Four tournament, a title earned by hard work and persistence. The Irish first faced a tough Indiana team, who forced the Irish to go four games with scores of 15-7, 13-15, 15-8, and 15-10. Indiana surprised Coach Debbie Brown, as they put forth a very strong defensive showing.

"IU played very well against us," Brown said. "I knew they were going to be good, but defensively they surprised us."

Christy Peters led the Irish in the match against the Hoosiers with an amazing 24 kills, as Shannon Tuttle contributed 54 assists.

"Christy played outstanding by hitting a variety of sets," said Brown of Peters' performance.

"Shannon also did a good job of getting Christy the ball," she added.

In the game against the Kentucky, freshman Angie Harris led the Irish with 10 kills and 13 digs as they defeated the Wildcats 15-2, 15-5, 15-5. Kentucky's performance was a surprise, as they were expected to be more of an opponent to the Irish. One reason could have been the loss in five games to Indiana the previous night.

"Kentucky was down because of the loss to IU," said Brown. "They were very flat against us."

The Irish rounded out the weekend with a victory over the University of Louisville. The Cardinals also gave the Irish a hard time, going four games, but the Irish pulled out the victory with scores of 15-9, 8-15, 15-8, and 15-10. They were led again by Peters and Harris who combined for 33 kills, but also received a strong performance from freshman outside hitter Jamie Lee who contributed 13 kills to the Irish effort.

Coach Brown is very happy with the excellent start of the season. She believes her team is learning much and improving, especially in the last week as the competition has improved.

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Senior forward Keith Carlson tries to head the ball away from the net during Notre Dame's 5-0 trouncing of Ohio State.

The Observer/Jake Peters

SPORTS BRIEFS

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In-Line Hockey Tournament - This one day, double elimination tournament will take place on Sunday, September 18 at Outpost Sports (3602 N. Grape Rd., Mishawaka, IN 259-1000). It will be an 8 team, 5 on 5 (including goalie) tournament. All equipment will be provided by Rollerblade, but participants are encouraged to provide their own skates. The fee is \$10 per team and you must register in advance at RecSports. For more information call RecSports at 1-6100.

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and Northwestern, but it was important that they show that they can control the pace of the game. That is exactly what they did against the Buckeyes.

"We tried to play more to the feet against Northwestern, but didn't do a great job," Berticelli explained. "Tonight we played with more confidence, more experience and more talent. We played better today than did Wednesday (against the Wildcats)."

A big reason for this was the play of the starting lineup. Turner turned in another great game as he scored one goal and added two assists. One assist coming off a crossing pass from senior forward Tim Oates. Turner headed the pass back to the center of the penalty box where senior midfielder Jason Fox punched it past Buckeye goalkeeper Chad Abend.

Oates added another assist along with sophomore midfielder Konstantin Koloskov on Richardson's goal from a shot on the outside. Freshman midfielder Bill Savarino also assisted on sophomore midfielder

Tony Capasso's goal late in the second half.

Yet, the man with the biggest game was senior midfielder Keith Carlson. Carlson assisted on the first goal of the game to Turner, and later scored a goal of his own on the assist of Turner.

"Carlson played a great game at wide midfielder," Berticelli said. "He has really matured into this role, especially since he is used to playing up front (as a forward)."

Yet, even with a great win, there is room for improvement.

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Bucs go long as Colts fall short

By FRED GOODALL
Associated Press

The Tampa Bay Buccaneers, who have had trouble scoring from short range, went long distance Sunday on the Indianapolis Colts.

Craig Erickson threw for 313 yards, including scoring passes of 50 yards to Charles Wilson and 48 yards to Jackie Harris, as the Bucs weathered another big day for Marshall Faulk to beat the Colts 24-10.

The smallest crowd for a home opener in Tampa Bay history (36,631) watched Erickson record the second-highest passing total of his career with 19 completions in 24 attempts. He put the game away with a 3-yard TD pass to Courtney Hawkins in the fourth quarter.

Faulk, the second pick in this year's draft, had a spectacular debut with 143 yards rushing in the Colts' 45-21 season-opening victory over the Houston Oilers. He was just as impressive against the Bucs (1-1), running for 104 yards on 18 carries and catching seven passes for 82

yards.

Faulk sprained his left wrist on the first play of the game and missed that series, but played the rest of the game.

The Tampa Bay defense kept him out of the end zone, though, holding the Colts (1-1) to Dean Biasucci's 26-yard field goal and an 8-yard touchdown run by Roosevelt Potts.

Faulk had a 16-yard catch that kept the field goal drive alive and had a 23-yard run and another crucial third-down reception on the 11-play, 92-yard drive the Colts used to trim Tampa Bay's lead to 17-10.

The Bucs put the game away with a 90-yard drive. Erickson had completions of 35 yards to Harris, 23 yards to Vince Workman and 25 yards to Tyji Armstrong before clearing the hurdle that frustrated the offense in a 21-9 loss to Chicago on opening day.

The Bears held the Bucs to three field goals, stopping them each time they advanced the ball inside the 20-yard line. This time, Erickson found

Hawkins wide open in the back of the end zone for the clinching touchdown with 6:46 to go.

Hawkins, who had been sidelined since the first preseason game with a broken hand, gave the offense a lift with four catches for 72 yards. His 32-yard reception, along with Willie Green's one-handed grab for a 14-yard gain, set up Michael Husted's 47-yard field goal for a 10-3 halftime lead.

Until Hawkins' big play, most of Tampa Bay's offense had come on Wilson's touchdown. The Tampa Bay receiver beat Ashley Ambrose on the play, catching the ball and running away from the diving defender at the Colts' 20.

Harris' touchdown gave the Bucs a 17-3 lead and forced Indianapolis to open up its offense. That didn't, however, mean abandoning Faulk.

The rookie running back had a 47-yard reception in the fourth quarter, but Tampa Bay clung to its 14-point lead by stopping the threat at its 1 with 3:08 left.

Jim Harbaugh completed 19 of 24 passes for 206 yards. His last attempt of the day was intercepted in the end zone by Tampa Bay's Martin Mayhew.

Redskins 38, Saints 24

Brian Mitchell ran a punt back 74 yards for a touchdown, returned a kickoff 86 yards to set up another score and John Friesz threw four touchdowns in the Washington Redskins 38-25 victory over the New Orleans Saints Sunday.

Mitchell's punt return staked Washington (1-1) to a 14-3 halftime lead and his runback with the second-half kickoff helped the Redskins to a 21-3 lead that New Orleans (0-2) tried desperately, but could not overcome.

Friesz, who had never before thrown for three or more touchdowns in his 5-year career, threw two to Henry

Ellard, one to Cedric Smith and another to Desmond Howard.

Friesz completed 15 of 22 attempts for 195 and was not intercepted in his competition for the fulltime starter's job with Heath Shuler, who never got into Sunday's game.

A first quarter Saints' punt went out of bounds on the Washington 31, but New Orleans was penalized 5-yards and forced to punt over. Mitchell caught it on the 26 and raced through the Saints defense for the touchdown.

Mitchell returned two punts for 90 yards, three kicks for 141 yards. He also rushed for 27 yards on seven carries.

Both Redskins first-quarter touchdowns came from special teams play. Their first score, Friesz's 1-yard pass to Ellard, came after a Redskins' punt hit Saints' cornerback Tyrone Legette and bounced off him. Lamont Hollingquest recovered the football on the 14-yard line.

In the second half, Mitchell caught Morten Andersen's opening kickoff 1-yard deep in the end zone and ran it back to the New Orleans 15. Six plays later Friesz hit Smith for a 1-yard touchdown, making it 21-3 Redskins.

Friesz went to Ellard again in the third quarter for a 41-yard touchdown.

In the fourth quarter, Chip Lohmiller made it 31-9 with a 31-yard field goal. Then Friesz found Howard with a 31-yard scoring pass to make it 38-9 Washington.

New Orleans, which had opened the game with a decisive drive — 66 yards in 14 plays, eating 6 minutes and 51 seconds, only to see it end as so many Saints' drives have ended over the years — with an Andersen field goal, rallied in the fourth quarter as Jim Everett hit Torrance Small for a 4-yard touchdown with 4:41 remaining. Everett's pass was good for the 2-point conversion.

He failed to convert in the third quarter after a 17-yard touchdown pass to Michael Haynes.

After an on-side kick, the Saints scored again with 2:05 left on a 34-yard run by Brad Muster.

Everett, who was under pressure most of the day, completed 29 of 34 for 358 yards and two touchdowns. He was sacked once and intercepted once.

The Redskins had the football only 4:07 in the first quarter and picked up only 50 yards total offense, but thanks to their special teams, it didn't matter, they led 14-3 at the half.

Falcons 31, Rams 13

Andre Rison backed his boast, and then some.

The Atlanta Falcons receiver promised his team would beat the Los Angeles Rams, and Rison made sure they did, catching two touchdown passes in a 31-13 victory Sunday.

Rison caught 12 passes for 123 yards, and Jeff George was 29-of-38 for 287 yards and three TDs.

Rison's bold prediction came after the Falcons lost 31-28 to Detroit in overtime last week.

"Yking we'll win the game," George, in his fifth season, went over the 10,000-yard passing mark before leaving after his second 16-yard scoring toss to Rison with 11:21 left in the game. He also ran his string of passes without an interception to 277, third best in NFL history behind Bernie Kosar's 308 and Bart Starr's 294.

George's other scoring pass covered 2 yards to Terance Mathis, capping a 13-play, 74-yard drive on Atlanta's first possession of the game.

The Rams' Chris Miller, Atlanta's former quarterback, threw three interceptions, one a tipped pass by Chris Doleman that Darnell Walker grabbed and raced 44 yards for a third-quarter touchdown.

Walker's touchdown was mere icing for the Falcons (1-1), who gave June Jones his first NFL coaching victory in his home debut.

Miller produced one of the Rams' two touchdowns, a 34-yard pass to Isaac Bruce on a 4th-and-17 play in the second quarter that cut the lead to 14-7 with 1:18 left in the half.

During the 73-yard drive, Miller overcame two holding penalties and a 16-yard loss on a sack by Walker. Miller completed 10 of 20 passes for 187 yards.

The Rams' other touchdown came with 4:07 remaining.

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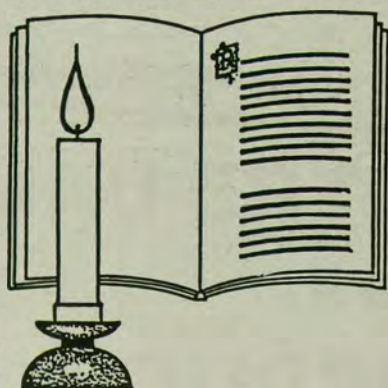
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■ SAINT MARY'S SPORTS

Heidelberg serves up four-set win against St. Mary's

By JENNIFER LEWIS
Saint Mary's Sport Editor

Saint Mary's lost its first match against Heidelberg College, 3-1. Losing in the first two games 10-15, 15-17, the team rebounded by winning the third game 16-14, but unfortunately, the Belles could not hang onto the lead and lost in the final game 9-15.

Heidelberg's serves hurt the Belles. Saint Mary's allowed Heidelberg to make two aces each game, according to coach Julie Schroeder-Biek.

"We were not able to run our offense the correct way," said Schroeder-Biek. "Because Heidelberg had three tough servers that kept throwing us off."

Saint Mary's is trying two new setters this season, junior Sara Stronczek and freshman Kelly Meyer. Stronczek made ten kills, five blocks, and tied Meyer with twenty-four assists.

"I would like to keep Meyer as my setter using a 5-1 offense," said Schroeder-Biek. "But, Stronczek is stepping in and helping us so much."

Stronczek, junior transfer student Kelley Prosser, and junior Anne Lawerene were nominated captains by their teammates and coach.

"Prosser established herself so well," said Schroeder-Biek. "When she walked in she was immediately respected because of her talent and leadership qualities."

"I thought it was very odd that I was picked as captain," said Prosser. "Because, I'm a first year student like the rest of the freshman."

Prosser had fifteen kills and twelve digs. Freshman Meg Kelly had fourteen kills and lead the team with eighteen digs.

Heidelberg did not beat Saint Mary's because of the absence

of talent, but rather the lack of experience, according to Prosser.

"When the pressure was on, they really pulled together as a team," said Schroeder-Biek. "I saw so many good things in this game. There is so much potential, that I know we can work."

"By the end of the season," said Prosser. "We will be beating teams of Heidelberg's caliber."

This game was not a big loss to the Belles, according to Schroeder-Biek. The more important teams will come later in the season.

Belles victorious despite key injuries

By BECKY MAYERNIK
Sports Writer

The Saint Mary's soccer team was victorious in their first game of the season Saturday at Lake Forest. Despite the many injuries that the team had, the Belles united and defeated Lake Forest 3-2.

"The team really came together and everyone played extremely well," said senior captain Maura Sullivan. "The freshmen had a big impact in the game."

"We still have many starters out and it took awhile for the team to get going, but we did start to really click after the

first half," said junior Tiffany Raczynski.

The players were called to play many positions and had to call upon many subs because of all of the injuries the team is facing, according to freshman Eileen Newell.

Sophomore Lisa Nichols, and freshmen Sandra Gass and Newell all came through to score the three Saint Mary's goals.

"We had a lot of opportunities and we knew sooner or later the ball would hit the back of the net," said Newell.

Saint Mary's really started to dominate Lake Forest after the first fifteen minutes of the game, according to Sullivan.

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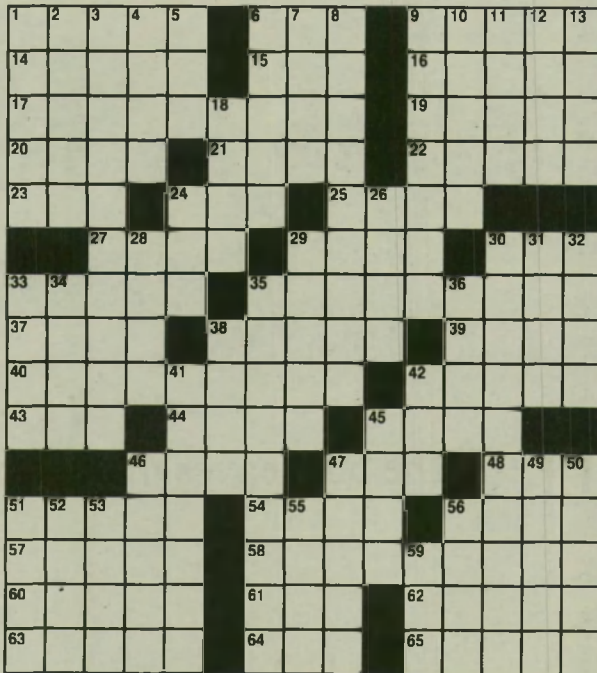
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- Interested in Gymnastics?** Join the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's Gymnastics Club. All ability levels welcome. Just come & have fun. Practice begins today at 4 p.m. in the Angela Athletic Facility at SMC. For more information call Kara (x4694) or Jeff (272-6998).
- The Mock Trial Association** will have a mandatory organizational meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in 204 O'Shag. Everyone is welcome. If you cannot attend, contact Dave at 4-2037.
- Attention Club Leaders:** Concession stand packets can now be picked up in the Student Activities Office, room 315 LaFortune, or in the Club Coordination Council office in room 206 LaFortune.
- The Source**, a student organization handbook, has been distributed in all club mailboxes across from Student Government. Club leaders be sure to check your mailboxes!
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Deja vu— Field goal ruins Notre Dame rally

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Monday, September 12, 1994

■ WOMEN'S SOCCER

Notre Dame scores high on tough tests

By RIAN AKEY
Associate Sports Editor

"This is a big win for us but it's just one win. We still have more big games to play and our team realizes that."

It's a common quote for a head coach after a big victory, words meant to maintain a team's focus and motivation. In fact, Michigan football coach Gary Moeller said almost exactly the same thing after the Wolverines knocked off the Fighting Irish.

But when Irish women's soccer coach uttered those words after his team upended no. 4 George Mason 1-0 on Friday, he meant them.

Just two days after Notre Dame avenged last season's first-round NCAA loss, Petrucelli and his no. 3 squad

dropped no. 10 William & Mary, 4-3 in overtime.

Notre Dame goaltender Jen Renola recorded her third shut-out of the season against George Mason. Renola saved four shots in the first half before the Irish took control in the second period, not allowing a single Patriot shot.

Rosella Guerrero put in the game winner for the Irish at the 54:49 mark when she redirected a cross by Holly Manthei and scored over George Mason goalie Jen Mead.

The contest was the first real challenge for Notre Dame this season, following blow-outs of Rutgers and LaSalle.

"We need to be challenged," Petrucelli said in looking forward to the game. "We don't

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■ MEN'S SOCCER

Irish finesse their way past Buckeyes

By THOMAS SCHLIDT
Sports Writer

In a disappointing weekend in which one team's national championship hopes were dashed, another's shines bright.

The Notre Dame men's soccer team showed tremendous depth, skill and intelligence as they defeated Ohio State 5-0 last Friday.

The Irish dominated the game from the start as senior midfielder Tont Richardson and freshman forward Ryan Turner scored goals with in the first



Tont
Richardson

ten minutes of the match.

It was the Irish's acknowledgment of the Buckeye's physical strength that forced the game instead, towards finesse, leading to the dominating victory.

"We knew we had to keep the ball on the ground," coach Mike Berticelli said. "Their strength was in having the ball in the air, whereas ours would be in using our speed and quickness. We did this with more balls to the feet, so it would make them run around and keep the match from being too physical."

This does not mean that the Irish are unable to play a physical game. They have played physical matches in their last two games against Penn State

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Junior Midfielder Michelle McCarthy scored the winning goal with 25 seconds showing on the clock in overtime to defeat William and Mary 4-3.1
The Observer / Jake Peters

Volleyball strong in tourney

Irish power past opponents in Big Four
Tournament

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weekend results